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Senate Leader Here Today



MRS. ELLA MAE BINNING and Det. Walter Head of the Amarillo Police Department stand in the office of Canyon Justice of the Peace W. A. (Bill) Wilson. Charged with murder in the

Chamber Study Report Slated

Preliminary reports are in and a final report is awaited on the current Chamber of Commerce self evaluation study.

The study was conducted by a general committee headed by Dr. Paige Carruth.

It was broken down into several categories.

Clarence Eugene Thompson heads the subcommittee which studied organization and staff of the chamber. In that group were Frank Morgan, R.E. "Barney" Barnard, Dr. Strauss Atkinson and R. B. Allen.

O. P. "Pete" Cowart is chairman of the group which studied the chamber's program of work and work promotion. Working with him were Joe Gidden, Delbert Lowes, Mrs. Clyde Warwick, Don Stanley and Dr. C. C. Callaman.

Jack Haley heads the subcommittee on membership relations. On this subcommittee are Jerry LaGrone and H. R. Fulton.

Dr. Charles R. Nester heads the subcommittee on chamber objectives. Working with him were Dr. James P. Cornette, Riley Troth and Bud Parker.

A subcommittee on public relations was headed by Troy Martin. On that subcommittee are Boone McClure and Jack Walker. That subcommittee also

studied plant and equipment of the chamber.

R. B. Allen is chairman of the subcommittee which studied membership and financing. In his group were Carroll Vaughan and T. A. Black.

Carruth and Chamber of Commerce President Huey Laycock will prepare an overall report to be submitted to the chamber of commerce board of directors at its next meeting.

Content of the report will be made public at that time.

Early Yule Deadline For News

Because of the Christmas holidays, next week's Canyon News will go to press early.

Deadline for placing or cancelling a classified ad for next week's paper is 2 o'clock in the afternoon Saturday, Dec. 21.

Society news deadline is noon Saturday.

Offices of The News will be closed Tuesday through Thursday of next week.

Poll Tax Sales Hit By Season

"We're offering everything but trading stamps--but I guess we just can't compete with Santa Claus."

So says Bill Money, Randall County tax assessor-collector, this week as he adds up the dribble of poll tax business so far and sees, just around the corner in January, the long lines of voters forming up to get receipts and exemptions for a general election year.

On the basis of the 11,000 or so poll tax receipts and exemptions issued in Randall County for the last general election, Money estimates the total for the current go-round should be about 12,000.

"So far," he says, "we've handled less than 1,000 poll taxes and 500 exemption certificates. So I'd say the view from here indicates a last-minute rush, considerable time lost waiting in line, and writer's cramp for our clerical help."

"I know it's a bad thing to be in competition with Santa Claus, but I'd like to remind folks once more that next year the country is going to the polls to vote for a lot of elected officials, from constable on up to President. You sure don't want to miss your chance to have a voice in all this..."

Extra substitutions are operating in South Amarillo to take care of all comers and to serve the backlog of voters who delayed getting poll tax receipts until the outcome of the recent constitutional amendment election.

Money also points out that a poll tax application form is printed on the back of the county tax statement, and receipts may be obtained by filling out the form and enclosing \$1.75 for each tax.

Poll taxes may also be paid by mail if the payer will send along his check or money order (See POLL TAX Page 7)

Smith To Talk To City Clubs



LT. GOV. PRESTON SMITH

Ouch For Those Mumps-Keep Smiling, Pal

The annual mumps season in Canyon this year is doing quite nicely, thank you.

Physicians around town report the incidence of the painful but generally superficial infection is considerably above average, and that the disease also is attacking a more than usual number of grownups.

"Mumps, we have with us the year round," said one doctor, "but we've had a pretty good siege the past couple of months."

He explained this was not unusual--"it runs in a kind of cycle, with two or three years, on the average, between peaks. The only difference this year is that the virus seems to be a bit more virulent, and a good many adults have been ailing."

For these unhappy folks medical science offers only commiseration.

"It's better to have the disease when you're a child," says another physician, "because mumps in adults tends to be more painful and more serious."

A third doctor describes the current outbreak as "fairly mild, but numerically above average."

Unhappily, there seems to be no specific cure--all for the disease, the doctors say. On the other hand, patients may take comfort from the fact that a case of true mumps usually confers immunity against the virus.

All the doctors agreed there is no cause for alarm in the current outbreak.

At Rex Reeves Elementary (See MUMPS Page 7)

Guest speaker for a long-planned intricacy get-together of service clubs, the Canyon Chamber of Commerce and Junior Chamber of Commerce here today will be Lt. Gov. Preston Smith, presiding officer of the Texas Senate.

The lieutenant governor is scheduled to arrive in Canyon shortly before 11 a. m., motoring here from his home in Lubbock. He will be welcomed by State Sen. Grady Hazlewood, Dr. James P. Cornette, president of West Texas State University, and by presidents of the participating service clubs and organizations.

After attending the annual WT Christmas Assembly, Smith will be guest at a luncheon in the West Room of West Cafeteria on the WT campus. Approximately 300 service club members are expected to attend. The public is invited. Cost of the luncheon is \$1.50 per person.

"We think everyone in the area will be interested in Lt. Gov. Smith's remarks," said Jerry LaGrone, member of the Rotary Club board of directors and chairman of the committee on arrangements for the intricacy meeting. "We think we are particularly fortunate in having him here for our meeting, since he is a local resident and, with Sen. Hazlewood, has done so much for WT and this part of the state."

Subject of Smith's talk has not been announced, LaGrone said, but he indicated it would be non-political.

The meeting here has been a project of the Canyon Rotary (See SENATE Page 7)

Tots' Fund Tops \$273 For Feast

It will be a Merry Christmas for Linda, Sally and Tracy--thanks to the gentle hearts of Canyon people, civic groups and service clubs.

As of Wednesday, contributions to the James L. Stipe fund totaled about \$273, plus an oven-ready turkey and pledges of more goodies.

The campaign to insure that Santa comes to see Linda, Sally, 3, and Tracy Stipe, 2, all of Canyon, was launched last week when word got around that Sally and Tracy are unwell and must soon enter a hospital for medical tests.

The tots are the sisters of little Cynthia Stipe, 9, who died Dec. 2 after a long illness.

W. A. (Bill) Wilson, Canyon justice of the peace and friend to practically everybody in need, says that so far he's received cash gifts totaling \$173, including a \$30 contribution from Canyon post office employees.

Levi Cole, Canyon banker who's keeping track of the Stipe fund, reports an additional \$100 in cash contributions, including \$50 from the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

The turkey is the gift of Glenn Dowlen, Randall County commissioner.

"I've also received pledges from several service and social clubs," Wilson says. "The response has been a heartwarming experience, and I'm delighted to say that the youngsters will have a fine Christmas."

Wilson says the tots have some hospital insurance, but the sole income of the family is provided by the father, who holds several custodial jobs. Resources have been heavily taxed by the long illness of Cynthia and the current need to obtain medical help for Sally and Tracy.

Contributions for the little girls may be brought or sent to First National Bank in Canyon, c/o James Stipe Fund, or to Bill Wilson in the Canyon courthouse.

Randall Grand Jurors Probe Slaying Of Tot

Bulletin

The Randall County grand jury late Wednesday afternoon returned an indictment charging that Mrs. Ella Mae Binning "did, with malice aforethought, kill Marcus DeWayne Binning by hitting and striking him with a hammer."

By FRED TRIPP

The modest dwelling at 4120 Bowie, in South Amarillo, outwardly appears little different from other homes in that neighborhood of quiet, hardworking, peaceful families.

500 Calendars Sold For Band

More than 500 calendars have been sold by members of the Canyon Band Parents club during a three-week campaign which will end this week.

W. H. Hobbs, president of the organization, estimated the club made about \$1000 from the sale of calendars and more than 2000 names will be listed.

Hobbs also estimated that \$200 was made from renewals of the Canyon News.

"We have no exact figure of the amount of money made because some people are still selling. All selling will end Friday afternoon," Hobbs said. Approximately 65 persons associated with the Band Parents have been selling during the campaign.

'Tis The Season, Folks...

Town Whirls Into Holidays

Store clerks are busy.

Shoppers are getting a bit shopworn.

Parents are casing domiciles for suitable places to store large, bulky packages.

Youngsters are casing domiciles for suitable places in which large, bulky packages might be stored.

The air is full of hints, jokes, mysteries.

It's that time of the year, again.

In Canyon, the official overture to Christmas '63 begins at the end of the school day Friday, when public schools will dismiss classes for a two-week holiday until Monday,

Yet it is very different.

No longer do five little children romp through the rooms or play in the yard.

One of them, 5-year-old Marcus DeWayne Binning, is dead, beaten to death.

A sister, Elizabeth Roxanne, 5, is in a hospital, bruised and wounded from beatings.

Two other sisters, Thryza Marian, 7, Jessie Melinda, 13 months, and a brother, Henry Binning, 2, are in the temporary custody of the Potter County Welfare Unit.

Their mother, Mrs. Ella Mae Binning, 25, is in Randall County jail here, charged with murder. Their father, Airman Henry A. Binning of Amarillo Air Force Base, doggedly repeats to police and sheriff's officers the details of a tragedy.

And voices are raised in anger and bewilderment that

Randall Attorney To Return Today

Truett G. Hull Jr., criminal district attorney for Randall County, is expected to return to Canyon by plane this evening, after recuperating from surgery performed at Houston.

Whether Hull will immediately resume his office duties here is not known, but it was indicated he would soon return to part-time work.

George Dowlen has been serving as acting district attorney during Hull's absence.

tragedy of such a character could occur in an ordered society.

The Randall County grand jury which met Wednesday morning was still questioning witnesses in the case late Wednesday afternoon.

At 3:11 p.m. last Saturday, on (See RANDALL Page 7)

County Okays Street Usage Survey Fund

Randall County commissioners Monday formally approved a resolution by which the county will participate in a road and street usage survey for the metropolitan Amarillo area.

Potter and Randall Counties and the city of Amarillo are participating in the survey which will cost a total of \$175,000. The three local governments will participate in the amount of \$26,250 or 15 per cent of the cost of the survey. Randall County's share is \$5,000.

Such a survey is required if federal money is to be forthcoming for future road and street development in the area affected.

In other action, Acting Criminal District Attorney George Dowlen told the court that it is illegal for the county to make contributions to Kids Incorporated.

Commissioners decided not to meet next Monday.

Judges Eye Yule Glow In Canyon

Canyon will be aglow tonight as judges begin to judge the first Junior Chamber of Commerce lighting contest.

Eighteen homes and businesses had entered at press time Wednesday. Bob Wilkinson, chairman of the competition, emphasized people could still enter until 5 p.m. Thursday free of charge.

Prizes of \$50 and \$35 will be given to winners in the residential division and plaques will be presented to the two top winners. Businesses winning first and second places will be given plaques from Jaycees.

Businesses which have entered the contest are Davis Insurance Agency, Buffalo Motel, Byrd Pharmacy, Southwestern Public Service and Varsity Theatre.

Entered in the homes contest are Erin Wertenberger, 2600 Ninth Avenue; Walter Partridge, 1306 Sixth Avenue; Owen Williams, 700 19th Street; Weldon Hager, 2600 Tenth Avenue; J. Mac White, 2601 Eleventh Avenue; C. R. Hillier, 901 25th Street; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Crow, 1301 Eighth Avenue; J. D. Byrd, 2310 Sixth Avenue; Homer Dockery, 507 Holman Lane; Bob Bellah, 509 Holman Lane; Joe Frank, 1214 Fifth Avenue; and Bill Davis, 2414 Twelfth Avenue.

cel post and packages marked as Christmas gifts.

The post office will also be closed Jan. 1.

At Umbarger, a midnight mass will be celebrated in St. Mary's Parish Church on Wednesday.

Practically alone in their devotion to duty will be members of the Canyon Police Department and the Randall County sheriff's office.

"So as to take care of any bad elves that might be around," says Police Chief L. D. Caldwell.

Santa Due To Arrive Saturday

Santa Claus is coming to town.

He'll be here about 3:30 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 21, having accepted an invitation from the Canyon Chamber of Commerce and Junior Chamber of Commerce to set awhile and visit with all the boys and girls.

In preparation for the big event, RAR Homes right now is putting the finishing touches on the special, portable building in which Santa will meet his friends and petitioners.

Built from designs by the Brothers Grimm, architects by appointment to all good elves, the Claus house will be placed on the North Pole side of the courthouse lawn.

Claus himself will come riding into town on the Canyon Volunteer Fire Department's Christmas Special, the famous old engine which is reserved each year for this special duty.

Oneal Call, Jaycee chairman in charge of arrangements, says Canyon grocers have donated a large supply of favors for the occasion. Jaycees are taking care of sorting and packaging.

Meanwhile, everybody's invited to come out and meet Santa. That means you, and you, and YOU!



BUD KELLER of RAR Homes puts the finishing touches on a reception cottage for Santa Claus. The cottage will be set upon the Canyon

courthouse lawn so that Santa will be sheltered from the weather when he arrives here Saturday afternoon to meet with area youngsters.

Bill Walker Likes World Of Ham Radio Operators

BY MARGO WILLIAMS
Bill Walker has the whole world in his bedroom. With a transmitter, a receiver, a microphone and an antenna, young Walker is able to communicate with ham operators all over the globe from his bedroom.

Bill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Walker of Canyon, is one of these typical hams who spends a few minutes each day checking in on friends who have found the fascinating hobby of radios irresistible.

Walker, a senior in high school, began tinkering with an old transmitter several years ago, and finally decided to make it a permanent hobby. He picked

up an old receiver, which had been termed junk, and realized the thing would work...for 35 cents.

He was on his way. Young Bill put some money here and some there and two years after his initial investment he was on the air.

"There are a few changes which I could make, but my set is just about what I want. My transmitter has an average amount of power, so I really don't need anything else," the young ham commented.

This hobby of radios is not as simple as many outside observers might believe. After once getting the interest the beginning hams have some hard steps to walk.

"In order to get your license you must pass a radio theory and a code exam. The code is Morse, which every operator must know," he said.

The Morse code, he explained, is effective because it is concise. Walker pointed out that code is a little slower than voice, but he continued by saying there could be no mistake in what is being said with code.

Young Walker explains his interest in the radio world several ways.

"Often I let college students, or people living in town, come out and talk with people in other towns...free of charge. This is a service I can perform and I can perform it right at home," he said.

"Aside from being a service, the ham operation world is interesting. I can talk with people all over the world, and after speaking with people several times you begin to know them.

"You can tell if someone is a good fellow or if he is rather grumpy by listening to him over a radio. I think people's true personality comes out over the radio."

But of course, once the transmitter is charged up and conversation between two people begins, the work has not stopped. Bill keeps a log book in front of him at all times with a pencil near by. Each time he talks with anyone anywhere he must make an entry in the book, no matter how brief the conversation might be.

And what do hams talk to each other about during their daily, weekly or monthly chats?

"That's a good question," Walker said. "The main thing we discuss is technical problems we encounter and better ways to do things with our equipment. Of course the next topic is the weather. I always want to know the weather, because often it will determine what type of radio reception you will get in one direction or another."

The long distant conversations hold little interest for Bill. He would rather talk with people from West Texas.

"You usually can't hear well if the operator you are talking with is far away, and your conversation might be cut off any minute. I would rather talk with people in this general area because I know I have a chance to meet them," Bill explained.

Courtesy is a key word to hams, and they observe the rules closely.

"Profanity on the air is a federal offense, so there is no profanity used by hams. We try never to interrupt two persons talking, and if we do we get off that frequency fast, after we have apologized.

"One reason I don't like long distant conversations is because often you don't even get to say goodbye because you are cut off. I think goodbyes should always be said. They are courtesies, and I like them," Walker said.

Bill is vice-president of the Panhandle Amateur Radio Club, which has its home base in Amarillo. Each year the club sponsors a Ham Fest, which

attracts ham operators from all over the country.

"We get together for a couple of days to meet the people we have been talking with, and to discuss various technical processes."

"Last year we had hams from as far away as Idaho," he continued.

Bill has not limited himself to the radio world. Several years ago the three-member family moved to a farm a mile east of Canyon. They all took an interest in Appaloosa horses and a family hobby developed.

"We can all enjoy the horses and we do. We have 11 horses including quarterhorses and Appaloosa on our 40 acres here, and they give us all something to do...together," he said.

With his Eagle Scout work, his horses, and his interest in electronics the ham radio set up is often neglected. But as Bill says, "It's a hobby that you can't ignore. Once you get interested in it, you are always interested in it."

To prospective hams, Bill encourages them with this statement, "The water's fine. Come on in."



BILL WALKER is shown as he prepares to charge up his ham radio transmitter for a few minutes of conversation with hams all over the country. Bill has been a ham for two years and finds that conversation is one of the most interesting ways to spend 30 minutes each day.

Methodist Group Meets

Mrs. L. H. Brotherton was hostess for a Christmas luncheon for the Moss Richardson Circle of the First Methodist Church Monday of this week.

Christmas decorations were used throughout the Brotherton home and holiday music was played softly in the background as guests were seated for a turkey luncheon with all of the trimmings.

Members of the circle will send a Christmas gift to Mrs. Moss Richardson at Hill Haven Rest Home in Amarillo later this week. The circle was named for Mrs. Richardson.

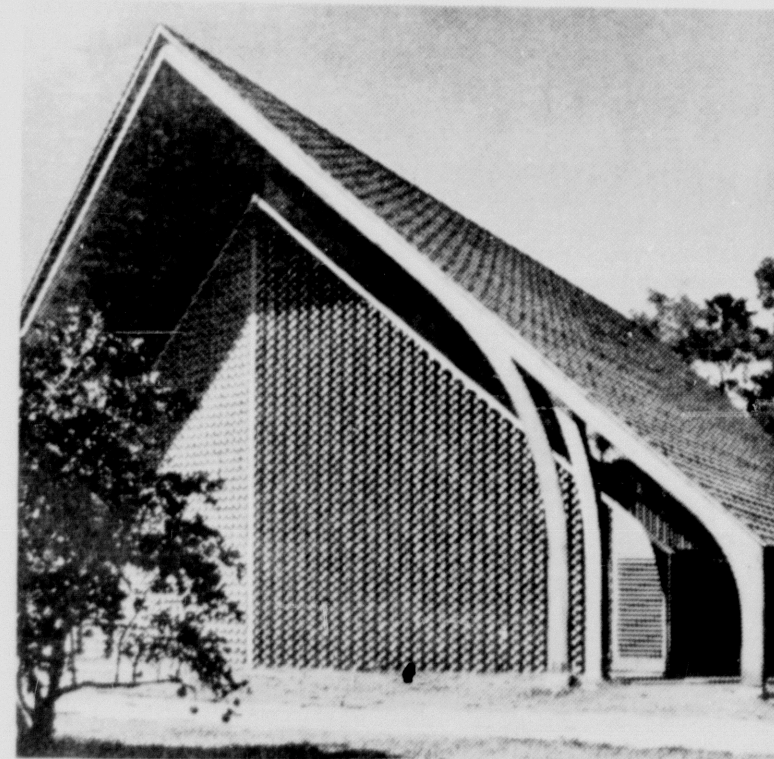
Present for the luncheon were Mrs. Billy Sogee, Mrs. Glenn Gardner, Mrs. Hattie Brasuel, Mrs. L. H. Brotherton, Mrs. Frank Begert, Mrs. M. J. Noel, and a guest, Mrs. Jeff Gunter.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ray C. Wells for several days this week has been Mrs. Lela Haralson of Plainview.

Mrs. Haralson is the mother of Mrs. Wells.

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Information Requested For CW Vets

Mrs. T. B. McCarter, Randall county chairman for the Texas State Historical Survey Committee, has a list of more than 30 men who are buried in Dreamland Cemetery with plaques bearing dates that indicate the men could have served during the Civil War.

In connection with the Texas Civil War Centennial, Mrs. McCarter requests that relatives or friends of any of these men contact her at P. O. Box 447 or call OL 5-2282.

She is especially interested in the state where the deceased was registered so that she can contact the administration in Washington, D. C. for a check of the national Archives. War veterans are listed according to the state where they enlisted for the service says Mrs. McCarter after attempting to receive information from the national department on an alphabetical list of veterans.

If you are acquainted with the history of any of the men listed below contact Mrs. McCarter and after the record of the veteran has been established it will be placed in the state Archives at Austin.

The list includes George W. Palmer; Thomas Martin Royal; Charles Rowe; Thomas J. Morris; Charles Becktel; Craven P. Hileman; Thomas Adam Foster; William Gilleland; Andrew Knivley; James A. Cook; F. M. Lester; C. A. Whitman; Seva A. Umbarger; J. C. Canon; Amos C. Pipkin; J. R. Farr; J. W. Leonard; Samuel McElroy; William T. McElroy; Nicolas Thompson; Hiram B. Wells; George Newton Caler; William B. Campbell; and Orin Cole.

Special Services At Church

Christmas themes will be observed at the morning and evening services of the First Christian Church on Sunday, December 22, with a special musical program by the Junior Choir at the morning worship service.

The choir will sing "We Must Follow The Star" under the direction of Mrs. Lowell Poole at the morning service that begins at 10:50 o'clock.

Dale M. Harter, pastor, will present the morning message entitled "Good News of Great Joy."

The annual Christmas program will be given at the 7 p.m. service on Sunday with a musical pageant, "The First Christmas", to be presented by the children's departments of the church.

The pageant is being directed by Miss Martha Bender. Directing music on the program is Mrs. Lowell Poole with Mary Johnson as organist for the musical program.

After the pageant, the children and members of the congregation will retire to Fellowship Hall for the singing of some Christmas carols and to await an expected visit from Santa Claus. The public is invited to all of the services.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wade of Levelland were in Canyon last Sunday for a visit with their son, Ben Wade, and his family.

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A Christmas style show of fashions made by Sophomore students during their clothing classes was held at a recent meeting of the Future Homemakers of America with Miss Nancy Hicks,

left, serving as the mistress of ceremonies. Fashions are being modeled by Laura Plank, Patsy Harter, Diana Williams and Sharon Lisle, left to right. (Photo By Randy Warren)

FHA Model Fashions

Fashions were modeled by seventeen Sophomore clothing students at a meeting of the Future Homemakers of America last Thursday evening.

The garments were made by the students during the school term and Miss Nancy Hicks ser-

ved as the mistress of Ceremonies for the fashion show. Background music was provided by Kathleen Hodges.

Renee Owens, president, and Cindy Gruner, vice president, were in charge of the meeting that included a devotional program by Shirley O'Donald. Sophomore officers had charge of the meeting.

"Making the Most of One's Educational Opportunities" was the topic of Dorothy Higdon as she presented the program. Miss Higdon emphasized that one of the most important ways to make the most of an educational opportunity is to learn how to study and then to do just that, study. She further stated that no one can teach you how to study to your best ability

but that it is an individual task. A trio composed of Nancy Davis, Janie Burk and Janis Miller sang a variety of Christmas carols. They were accompanied by Karen Erwin.

Following the program, Renee Owens welcomed the guests for a period of refreshments that had been prepared by the Sophomore foods class. Guests were registered by Patsy Harter, Karen Cory, Sharon Lisle and Shirley Gill and presented with a Santa Claus lapel pin.

Approximately 60 were served cranberry punch and an assortment of holiday cookies by Dorothy Szydoski, Vicki Henderson and Mickey Davis, who presided at the refreshment table.

The next regular FHA meeting will be January 9th when the subject to be presented will be How Can Youth Prepare For Future Citizenship Roles with Bobby Parsons and Gail McKinnney as hostesses. Janie Fisher will present the devotional program and Junior and Senior Officers will be in charge of the meeting.

Teenagers Have Christmas Party

A Christmas party for the Teen Age Sunday School Class of the Assembly of God Church was held Friday evening of last week at the home of their sponsor, Mrs. Carl Wagner, with 18 in attendance.

Gifts were exchanged and the group was then entertained with party games throughout the evening.

Refreshments of chips and dips, punch, cakes and cookies were served.

The Canyon News wants your news. Telephone OL5-2141, or stop by the News office.

Brownie And Girl Scout News

Eight members of Girl Scout, Troop 1, were present to make plans for a Christmas party at the meeting of Cadets last Thursday afternoon. Billy Helene Hill provided refreshments for the meeting.

Lil Cowart, a senior scout, led members of Troop 2 in learning their scout songs at last Friday's meeting.

Eight girls were present for the meeting with Mrs. Charles Wright who assisted in the absence of the leader, Mrs. Dean Nicholas.

Hostesses for the afternoon meeting were Jamie Olson and Alicia Boone.

Connie Ormsby was honored by other members of Girl Scout, Troop 9, at last Wednesday's meeting. The occasion was a birthday celebration for Miss Ormsby.

The girls present spent the afternoon playing games and also planned a Christmas party and gift exchange for this week. Twenty girls were in attendance for the meeting.

Troop 7 met Monday afternoon with their leader, Mrs. Keith Jones, and worked on Christmas presents.

They concluded the evening meeting with a Christmas party and gift exchange and were served refreshments.

BROWNIES

A gift idea from Heloise's column in the Amarillo newspaper was used to make nylon net dishwashers at the meeting last week for members of Troop 12. The novel net cloths were decorated with miniature flowers in the center.

Thirty six girls were in attendance for the meeting at the Girl Scout House and refreshments were provided by Sharon Hinders and Diana Boone.

Troop 14 met last week with Mrs. B. J. Ormsby as the leader and worked on a variety of Christmas gifts for their Mothers. Patty Ormsby was hostess for the meeting and the girls made plans for a party and gift exchange at their next meeting.

Thirteen members of Troop 14 led by Mrs. Troy Martin met last week to complete working on their Christmas decorations.

The girls spent part of the afternoon playing games. Miss Nancy Winn was hostess for the meeting and Mrs. Ray Musgrave is an assistant leader for the group of girls.

A special meeting of Brownies is scheduled for Thursday afternoon according to Mrs. Bill Taylor leader for a group of second grade students.

The girls will meet at the regular time and work on their Christmas gifts in order to have them completed prior to the holiday season.

They will meet with Mrs. Bill Taylor at 1818 3rd Avenue.

An initiation program for eleven girls was held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bill Taylor.

Participating in the program were Brenda Howard, Judy McBroom, Debra Tollett, Nelda Phayle, Dorrough, Jill Taylor, Micky Wilder, Sherri Reckling, Jeanna Altmiller, Carla Ratliff, Nikki McCarter, and Beverly Smith.

A Christmas party and gift exchange were held Monday afternoon for the second grade group of Brownies with Mrs. Wesley Cox as the leader.

The girls spent the afternoon meeting playing games and singing Christmas carols. Regular meetings for the group will resume when school begins again after the holidays.

Families Get Food

Circle K members will distribute baskets of food Monday to families in and around Canyon as a Christmas project.

All civic clubs in Canyon donated money for the baskets and area Boy Scouts held a "Toys For Tots" campaign for the children of the families. Circle K members repaired the toys and bought 110 toys to give to boys and girls.

Twenty families will receive food baskets Monday, according to Jim Allison, club president. Allison also pointed out that civic clubs in town gave money for the food, which made the project possible.

Historical Contest Open Now

School children of Randall County are eligible to participate in two contests with grand prizes of a year's tuition to the state-supported college or university of the student's choice.

Special Program At WT

A Christmas program will be presented today, Thursday, at 9:45 a.m. in the Branding Iron Theater at West Texas State University featuring readings and carols for the holidays.

Lewis Waggoner will give the introduction and "O Come, All Ye Faithful" will be sung by the group with Richard Rouillard leading.

Readings to be presented on the program are "The Very First Christmas Morning" by Vesta Tubbs; "Keeping Christmas" by Donna Timmons; "The Trip" by Richard Rouillard; "The Little Match Girl" by Beth Stansell; "On Santa Claus" by Kay Struver; "Gloria in Excelsis Deo" by Sally Timmons; and a reading of scripture and benediction by Mildred Record.

The program will conclude with group singing of "Silent Night" led by Richard Rouillard. Kathryn Winstead will accompany the musical numbers.

Chairmen for the program are Lewis Waggoner and Richard Rouillard. Ruth Ann Naylor, Carlene Stafford and Kathryn Winstead were in charge of the invitations and hostesses for the program will be Carlene Stafford and Ruth Ann Naylor.

Doyle G. Thomas was in College Station this week on a short business trip.

according to Mrs. T. B. Carter, director of the Texas State Historical Survey Committee for this county.

The two contests for the Texas Civil War Centennial include poster and essay division. They are open to students of Texas high schools including students in grades 9 through 12. Each contestant must be sponsored by a teacher in the school.

A student may copy and edit a diary of memoirs of a Texas soldier, sailor or a civilian involved in the Civil War but the essay must be an original interpretation by the student.

The advisory committee for the Texas Civil War Centennial has compiled a complete bibliography for students to use in helping to find out more about their respective subjects for the contest. Mrs. McCarter, county chairman, has a copy of the bibliography and all contest rules for those students who are interested in the scholarship contests.

In addition to the tuition prizes, winners will receive an expense-paid trip to Austin accompanied by a teacher or parent during the week of April 20, 1964, to attend an awards ceremony in the Governor's office.

If the prize winner does not wish to attend a state-supported college or university, a \$100 U. S. Savings Bond will be awarded.

PTA Observes Christmas

The Canyon Parent Teacher Association will meet tonight, Thursday, for a program following the theme of a "Family Observation of Christmas" to be presented by the music and speech departments of Canyon High School, under the direction of Gene Murray.

Dale Harter, PTA president, will conduct a short business session following the program and then guests will be served refreshments in the cafeteria by members of the hospitality committee headed by Mrs. Lee Roy Moreland.

All parents, teachers, and other interested persons are invited to attend the program and business session that will be held in the auditorium of Canyon High School beginning at 7:30 p.m.

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Mrs. Pulley Has Program For 4-H Club

Mrs. David Pulley, home demonstration agent, presented a demonstration on making Million Dollar Fudge for members of the West Side 4-H Club at a meeting in the home of Mrs. Jones Hales last Thursday afternoon.

Containers to store the candy in were also demonstrated by Mrs. Pulley who presented each girl with a cook book following the program.

An exchange of Christmas gifts was held and members presented Mrs. Pulley with an electric bean pot. Mrs. Lewis Tuck, leader, presented each girl with a personal jar of hand cream.

Cookies and hot chocolate were served to Glenda Hollenstein, Sandra Woods, Millie Hales, Karen Winn, Connie Brazzil, Linda Hales, Roxie Knox, Cindy Sparks, Linda Hicks, Lynn Craig, Peggy Brock, and a new member, Suzanne Ellinwood.

A new adult leader for the West Side 4-H Club is Mrs. B. R. Sparks. The next regular meeting for the club will be January 16 in the home of Mrs. Bill Hicks.

FFA SWEETHEART for Canyon High School is Miss Ricky Michael, 15 year old sophomore at CHS. Miss Michael was picked recently to represent the Canyon chapter of the FFA in district competition coming the near future. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Meade Michael.

Jane Jackson, Pat Stevens Exchange Nuptial Vows Here

Joseph A. Hill Chapel on the campus of West Texas State University was the scene for the marriage of Miss Jane Jackson and J. Pat Stevens on November 28th.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Jackson of Abilene and her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stephens of Amarillo.

Rev. Newton Starnes, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Canyon, read the double ring ceremony before an altar that was decorated with twin baskets of gold and bronze chrysanthemums, gaidias and other autumn flowers. Twin candelabra flanked the floral decorations.

Miss Mary Jackson served as bridesmaid for her sister's wedding and Miss Kay Stephenson was the maid of honor. The bridal attendants wore identical street-length dresses of gold sheer wool and carried a cascade of small golden chrysanthemums and feathered bronze carnations.

The best man was Bill Stephens brother of the bridegroom. Jack Meathena served as the groomsmen. Ushers for the afternoon ceremony were Jack Meathena and Eugene Isaacs. A street-length dress of sheer wool with long sleeves and a jewel neckline was worn by the bride as she was given in marriage by P. E. Stephenson, father of the maid of honor. Her shoulder length veil of illusion was attached to a satin crown and complemented with a trimmed edge of seed pearls. She carried a cascade bouquet of white orchids and white feath-

ered carnations.

Cousins Hall on the WTSU campus was the scene for a reception honoring the couple after the ceremony. Punch and a double-ring wedding cake were served by Miss Jackie Miller and Miss Doan Lusk from a table decorated with flowers of the bride's chosen colors, gold and white.

For a wedding trip to El Paso the bride wore a black and brown tweed suit that was

Junior Book Club Party Set Dec. 19

An Old Fashioned Christmas will be the theme for a Christmas program supper and gift exchange for members of the Junior Woman's Book Club and their husbands tonight, December 19th.

The Randall County Junior Livestock Building will be the site of the holiday party that will begin at 7:30 p.m.

Mrs. Bruce Winn will present the Christmas program and a program of special music and Christmas carols will be led during the evening by Mrs. Bruce Winn, Mrs. Avert Lair, Mrs. Bob Lindsey, Mrs. Gerald Dietz, Mrs. Michael J. Morris, Mrs. Troy Martin and Mrs. Truett Hull.

The evening will conclude with an exchange of gifts, square dancing and games. Hostesses for the party will be Mrs. Bob Lindsey, Mrs. Avert Lair, Mrs. R. E. Barnard, Mrs. Doris Moore, and Mrs. Duane Howard.

complemented with a corsage of orchids that were lifted from the bridal bouquet. The ensemble was accented with brown accessories.

The couple is making their home at 2500 8th Avenue, Apartment 15, in Canyon.

Recently chosen for Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities, the bride will continue her studies at West Texas State University where she will graduate with the BA degree in the spring. She is a member of Alpha Chi honorary fraternity and serves the Hogg Foundation as a freshman counselor.

A government instructor at West Texas State University, the bridegroom received his B. S. and M. A. degrees from the University and has completed further graduate work at the University of Missouri.

Mrs. Irlbeck Happy Guest

Members of the Woman's Study met Tuesday, December 3, in the home of Mrs. Hobart McManigal with Mrs. A. Clark as co-hostess.

Mrs. G. L. Robinson presided over the business session. A donation was designated for the Muscular Dystrophy Fund Drive. Christmas gift checks were suggested to be sent to Glenn Cox, Vernie Bowe, Galen McDonald, and Carves Guest.

The program was titled, "Our Heritage in Friendship," and the leading quote was: "I destroy an enemy when I make him my friend" by A. Lincoln. Roll call was answered with a quotation on Friendship.

Mrs. Hobart McManigal, Friend-

News, Features For The Women

Carla Jean Scott Weds Robert Martindale

Miss Carla Jean Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Scott of Amarillo, and Robert Martindale, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Martindale of McLean, were recently married in the Avondale Baptist Church of Amarillo with Rev. Raymond Boalin officiating.

Nuptial music for the double ring service was presented at the organ by Pat Visden, accompanying Bob Damon in vocal selections.

Given in marriage by her father,

Couple Plans Wedding

The engagement and approaching marriage of Patricia Ann Pryor to Charles Chester Braafadt is being announced by Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Pryor, Jr. of Amarillo, parents of the bride-elect.

Braafadt is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Braafadt of Dimmitt.

Miss Pryor graduated from Amarillo High School and attended West Texas State University. She is presently employed with Universal C.I.T. of Amarillo.

Also graduated from Amarillo High School, the prospective bridegroom is a junior student of marketing at West Texas State University.

The wedding will be solemnized January 25 in the First Baptist Church of Amarillo.

Book Club Members Enact Wilder Play

"The Long Christmas Dinner", a play authored by Thornton Wilder was re-enacted by members of the Woman's Book Club at their Christmas party on December 11 in the home of Mrs. Alfred Bellah.

Mrs. Emilio Caballero, president, read a brief introduction

her, the bride wore a formal peau de soie wedding gown with Chantilly lace accent on the fitted bodice and a controlled bell skirt. Her floor length Spanish mantilla of lace was caught to two white satin roses. She carried a Bible topped with a white orchid and satin streamers.

Miss Tisha Jo Potts of Ada, Oklahoma was the maid of honor and bridesmaid was Miss Sharon Lynn Clark of Stillwater, Oklahoma. Cynthia and Carlan Glover of Ada were flower girl and ringbearer respectively. Candlelighters were Billy Pat Webb of Ada and Billy Lynn Potts.

Sammie Cooper was best man; groomsmen and ushers were Jimmy Potts of Ada, Bobby Hacker, Johnnie Moore and David and Randall Scott, the latter two are brothers of the bride.

On their return from a wedding trip to points of interest in New Mexico the couple will make their home at 1607 Polk in Amarillo.

The bride graduated from Tascosa High School and attended Amarillo College. She is presently employed with the display department of Sears Roebuck and Company.

A graduate of McLean High School, the bridegroom attended West Texas State University and is presently employed with the Avondale Barber Shop in Amarillo.

about the dinner that covers a period of 90 years. Limited costuming of characters was used to depict age for the program. Club members participating in the story wore coats, caps, shawls and other items of apparel as they assumed several roles during the afternoon.

Participating in the program were Mrs. Claude Boatman, Mrs. L. H. Brotherton, Mrs. E. J. Larson, Mrs. T. B. McCarter, Mrs. Michael Morris, and Mrs. E. A. Olson.

Thirty-three members were present for the program and gift exchange. Members also made a contribution for the library fund that is used to help support the Randall County Library as a community project of the club.

The afternoon program was concluded with group singing of Christmas carols and refreshments. Fruit cake, spiced tea and coffee were served by the hostesses who were Mrs. Alfred Bellah, Mrs. S. B. Loudder, Mrs. George D. Moore, Mrs. C. R. Burrow, Mrs. R. A. Neblett, Mrs. C. F. Marshall, and Mrs. L. H. Owens.

Wheeler, Retherford Make Plans

Miss Betty Ann Wheeler is the bride-elect of Lester Roy Retherford of Pampa, formerly of Amarillo and Canyon.

Parents of the bride-elect are Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Wheeler of Plainview. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Retherford of Adrian, Missouri are parents of the prospective bridegroom.

Nuptial vows are scheduled for January 17 in the North Amarillo Church of Christ.

Graduated from Hale Center High School, Miss Wheeler attended Wayland Baptist College and Lippert's Business College in Plainview. She is presently employed with Southwestern Bell Telephone Company in Amarillo.

Mr. Retherford graduated from Canyon High School and received his degree from West Texas State University. He is secretary-treasurer of the Harold Barrett Ford Company of Pampa.

Miss Sibley To Wed Harold Root

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sibley of Clarendon announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Wanda, to Harold E. Root, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Root of Canyon.

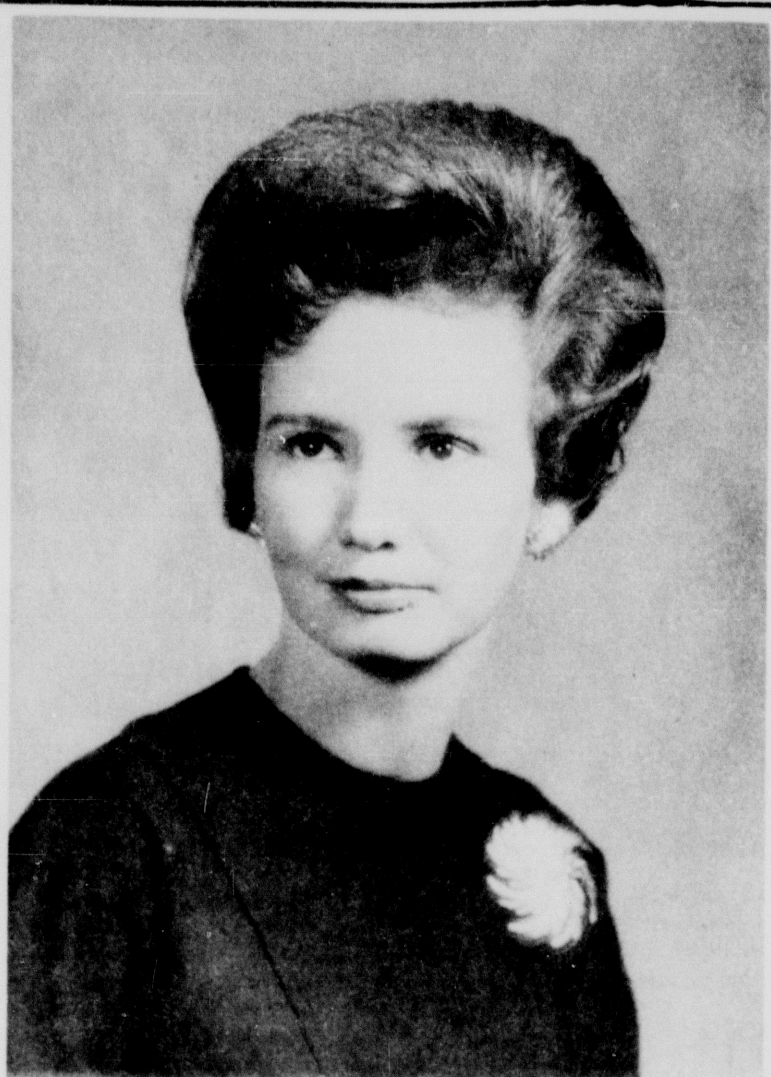
Miss Sibley is a graduate of Clarendon High School and Clarendon Junior College. She is presently employed with the First State Bank in Amarillo.

A graduate of Canyon High School, the prospective bridegroom is a partner of RAR Homes in Canyon.

Nuptial vows will be exchanged in the parlor of the First Baptist Church on January 13th with Rev. W. S. Sibley, uncle of the bride, officiating.

Social Deadline

Social items including accounts of weddings, club meetings, births, and out of town guests should be turned to the Canyon News before noon on Saturday for the special issue of the paper that will be on the stands next Tuesday morning.



MISS WANDA SIBLEY

Delta Zeta Alumnae Chapter Has Dinner

The Zeta Zeta Chapter at West Texas State University was entertained by the Alumnae Chapter of Delta Zeta sorority with an annual Christmas dinner Monday evening of last week at the home of Mrs. R. A. Bellah.

Mrs. R. A. Bellah, hostess, and Mrs. W. R. Wilson, president of the Alumnae chapter, greeted guests as they arrived.

Following an invocation by Linda Allison, the buffet style supper was served from the dining table that was laid with a pink taffeta and net Christmas cloth. Christmas decorations adorned the table and were used throughout the home. Candle arrangements centered the individual tables where guests were seated.

Christmas carols were sung by the group following the dinner hour with Mrs. R. E. Barnard accompanying at the piano. Mrs. W. R. Wilson led the group singing.

Mrs. Bruce Winn sang "O Holy Night" as a solo during the evening.

The alumnae chapter mem-

bers extended congratulations to the active chapter on being awarded the Lamplighter Scholarship Award that is given to few college chapters. A national award, it is presented only after a chapter has been recommended by other college chapters and received the approval of the national Delta Zeta council.

Study Club Cook Books On Sale

"We are having a good sale of Chuck Wagon Chit-Chat" commented Mrs. Walter Cranmer, officer of the Canyon Study Club, Tuesday morning of this week.

A shipment of 250 of the cookbooks were received by members at their meeting last week and all books of the original shipment had been sold by Saturday.

The 104 page cookbook is filled with recipes that were obtained and edited locally by the club with Mrs. Dick Dawdy in charge of the committee.

It is bound looseleaf style with a spiral and is on sale for \$2.00 until January 14 when the club will meet with Mrs. Dick Dawdy for a business session.

Garden Club Celebrates

The Canyon Garden Club held their Christmas party at the home of Dr. Leta Boswell last Thursday night with Mrs. S. B. Loudder as co-hostess.

Mrs. Joe Frank, president, conducted the short business meeting and Mrs. D. J. Kievit read minutes from the last meeting that were approved by the club.

"My Favorite Christmas Carol" was used as the theme for roll call at the meeting.

Mrs. M. S. Downing gave the program on "Deck the Halls" and members present had a short exchange of ideas for Christmas decorations. Club members had holiday arrangements throughout the home that were reviewed by other members.

Following the program, members sang Christmas carols and had a gift exchange.

Nuts, candy, pound cake, egg nog and coffee were served to those present including two visitors, Mrs. Arch Hunsley and Mrs. Terry Martin.

Club members present were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Frank, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Downing, Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Hines, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Goodman, Mrs. R. A. Neblett, Mrs. Levi Cole, Mrs. D. J. Kievit, Mrs. Mark Foster, Mrs. Rae Walters, Mrs. E. T. Cummings, Mrs. Jeannette Robbins, Mrs. C. R. Burrow, Mrs. Clyde Warwick, Mrs. Mary Bonnie, Mrs. Alfred Bellah, Mrs. S. B. Loudder, Mrs. C. W. Samples, Dr. Boswell, and Mrs. Norvall, mother of Dr. Boswell.

Members and their husbands, who were special guests, had a gift exchange and sang Christmas carols after the program.

The Barker home was decorated in a Christmas theme and refreshments of fruit cake, nuts, punch, sandwiches and cookies were served to those present.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Campfield, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Winters, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Plank, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Noel, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Mat-sler, Mrs. J. L. Hilgenfeld, Mrs. Curt Samples, Mrs. J. P. Hammons, Mrs. Mae Johnson, Mrs. Rae Walters, Mrs. Gladys Haines, and the host couple, the George Barkers.

Mrs. Barker Program Hostess

Mrs. George Barker was hostess for a Christmas program for the Palo Duro Mother-in-Law Club last Friday evening at her home.

The devotional was presented by Mrs. Win Matsler and Mrs. J. P. Hammons presented a program on "thoughts for Christmas".



Mrs. Clay Cooper, right, serves Miss Ann Burgess as alumnae members of Alpha Delta Pi sorority entertained members of the college chapter with a progressive dinner last Thursday evening.



PANHELLENIC COUNCIL sponsored a tea honoring freshmen women of West Texas State University last Saturday morning in the formal lounge of Cousins Hall on campus. Pictured at the serving table are (left to right) Beverly Blaine of Chi Omega; Gloria Gidley of Zeta Tau Alpha; Alicia Abney of Alpha Delta Pi; Jan Mitchell of Delta Zeta; and Judy Jay, a freshman student at the University.



MRS. ROBERT RICHARDSON, right, was elected as president of the Alumnae chapter of Alpha Delta Pi last week. Mrs. Gort Rushmer was elected to serve the newly organized sor-

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- Thursday, December 19
2:30 p.m.....Canyon Mother-In-Law Club and Pioneer Club will have social meeting with Mrs. Art Roberts.
7:00 p.m.....Live Nativity scene will be staged on the courthouse lawn by members of the Canyon Jaycee-ettes and Jaycees. The scene will conclude at 9 p.m. tonite.
7:30 p.m.....Canyon Parent-Teacher Association will meet for program at the auditorium of Canyon High School.
7:30 p.m.....Christmas party for the Junior Woman's Book Club and their husbands at the Junior Livestock Bldg.
Friday, December 20
Canyon Public Schools will dismiss for Christmas holiday after regular schedule of classes today. School will resume classes on January 6, 1964.
7:30 p.m.....Pleasantview Home Demonstration Club will entertain with a Christmas program at the home of Mrs. Blaine Hufnagle.
7:30 p.m.....Caroling party for the Jaycees and jaycee-ettes will start from the east side of the courthouse square.
Saturday, December 21
7:30 p.m.....Christmas party for the Boat and Ski Club will be held in the Crystal Ballroom of the Herring Hotel in Amarillo.
Sunday, December 22
Attend the church services of your choice, morning and evening. A number of church choirs will give special programs at the services today.
Monday, December 23
Tuesday, December 24
Wednesday, December 25

CHRISTMAS DAY.....Happy Holiday From The Staff Canyon News.....

Thursday, December 26



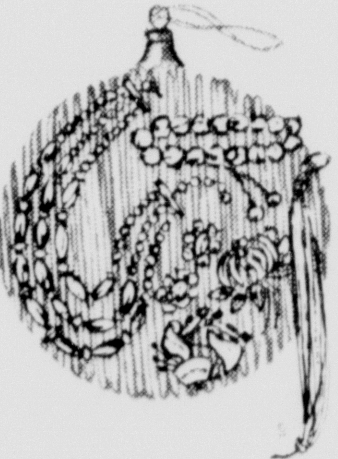
HELPING HAND was offered by Karen Beth Guerry to a youngster from the Presbyterian Children's Home in Amarillo Sunday at the annual Chi Omega and Alpha Tau Omega orphans Christmas party. Members of the social groups at West Texas State University served 20 children punch and cookies and presented presents to all upon the arrival of Santa Claus. Sue Bursey looks on as the youngster enjoys his punch.

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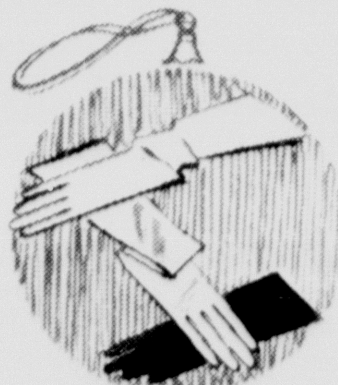
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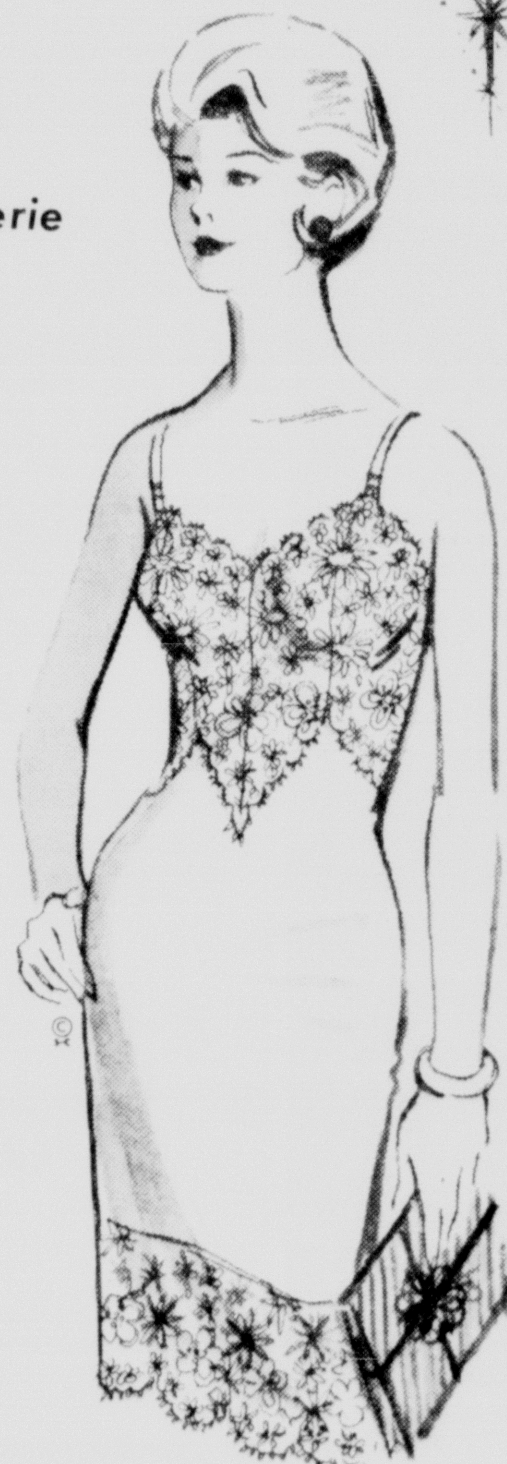
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LEGALS

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF RANDALL.

NOTICE OF JUDICIAL SALE

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the 108th Judicial District Court of Potter County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 20th day of November, 1963, in favor of The American National Bank of Amarillo, foreclosing a mechanic's and materialman's lien against the defendants W. R. NEAL, BESS D. NEAL and W. F. NEAL, CHARLES ESTERLINE, R. O. SISK, E. R. EMANUEL, d/b/a Chain Link Fence Company, CROUCH CARPET COMPANY, INC., d/b/a Texas Carpet Company and J. G. BEREND, in the case of The American National Bank of Amarillo vs. W. R. Neal et al No. 38, 610 in said Court I did on the 11 day of December 1963, at 10:25 o'clock A.M. levy upon the following described tract and parcel of land situated in the County of Randall, State of Texas to-wit:

Lot No. Fourteen (14) in Block No. Fifteen (15) in Part "A" of the First Section of Hunsley Hills, a Subdivision of a portion of Section 31, Block B-5 H & GN Railway Survey, Randall County, Texas as shown by the recorded map or plat thereof of record in the Deed Records of Randall County Texas reference to which is here made for all purposes;

and on the 7th day of January 1964 being the first Tuesday of said month between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. on said date, at the Courthouse door of said County I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash all the right, title and interest of the foregoing named defendants in and to said property.

DATED at Canyon, Randall County, Texas, this 11th day of December, 1963
L. S. Johnston, Sheriff of Randall County, Texas
3 tc 36

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank the Fire Department and neighbors for putting out the fire in our garage last Wednesday morning.

The Charles Green family

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

For Rent or Sale like Rent: Two Well located 2 bedroom houses. E. T. Cummings OL 5-3161 2 tc

Mumps...

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School, Principal Oscar Hinger said absenteeism as a result of childhood diseases has been about average, but that mumps has been a continuing cause since September, instead of being concentrated in the last few weeks.

"But the outbreak has not been serious, and certainly not epidemic," he said.

Hinger reported, however, that cases of pink eye have been at least as prevalent as any other childhood ailment.

"We're working hard to check it," he said. "Teachers watch for symptoms, and children showing any are sent home immediately. The ailment is not serious, but it is quite contagious--and that, of course, is why we'd like parents to understand our policy."

FFA Win For Canyon Boys

Five Canyon High School boys placed fourth in state competition in the Future Farmers of America Leadership Contests Saturday in Huntsville.

Skip Moore, Bill Richey, Claiborn Crain, Bobby Evans and Danny O'Donald made up the local radio team which won fourth place in the state contest. The boys placed first in the district and area contests earlier in the year.

This was the first radio team from Canyon to place in state contests, Leon Bagwell, vocational agriculture instructor, said.

The boys were required to write a script and present it on the radio. They were judged on the subject and the presentation of the panel discussion.

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilkinson of Kansas City, Missouri are expected in Canyon this week end for a holiday visit with their nephew, Bob Wilkinson, and his family.

Buying? Selling? Use the classified advertising pages of The Canyon News. Telephone OL5-2141.

Randall...

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arrival at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo, Marcus DeWayne was pronounced dead of a brain hemorrhage caused by a blow on the head. Death was estimated to have occurred about three hours earlier.

Mrs. Binning, who had accompanied Marcus in the ambulance which met her as she was carrying the little boy to the hospital in her car, was taken into custody by police called to the scene.

Shortly afterwards, Elizabeth Roxanne was brought to the hospital. Doctors found her body covered with bruises, wounds on her scalp and ear, finger and toe nails loosened. They said she also was suffering from malnutrition.

The other children did not appear to have suffered physical injury.

On Sunday, report of an autopsy performed on Marcus DeWayne disclosed the child had open wounds on his head, a broken collarbone, broken legs and a broken left arm. Teeth marks were found in several places on the body and there were burns about the neck and ankles, apparently caused by a rope. Evidence of severe malnutrition also was found.

Questioned by police, Mrs. Binning gave various differing explanations of the injuries suffered by Marcus and Elizabeth Roxanne.

Finally she said she had become angry with Marcus on the previous Friday afternoon and had hit him twice on the head with a hammer she had been using to hang curtains. She said she continued to strike the boy after he fell. Later, she said, she again became angry at Marcus and twisted his legs and arm.

That night, Marcus became ill, and Mrs. Binning telephoned the hospital at AAFB. She was told to bring the boy in, but postponed the trip until morning.

On Saturday, Marcus became ill again. Mrs. Binning took him with her when she went to pick up her husband at the air base, arriving at about 2 p.m.

According to officers, Binning suggested that the boy be taken to the base hospital at once, but Mrs. Binning demurred, saying "they ought to go home first and get him cleaned up."

The ambulance was summoned to the Binning home at 2:55 p.m. Saturday and encountered Mrs. Binning as she was driving her car about three blocks from the house.

Whether Marcus was alive when the ambulance was summoned has not been determined.

On Sunday, charges of murder with malice were brought against Mrs. Binning and she was ordered held without bond, pending grand jury action.

On Monday, told that her mother was being held in jail, Thyrza Marian Binning gave officers a statement in which she described how Marcus had been beaten. She also told of beatings which he and Elizabeth Roxanne had received. She indicated that the other children, including herself, had never been so severely punished, and she said the beatings of Marcus and Elizabeth had never occurred while her father was at home.

Airman Binning told officers the children had never been abused in his presence. He had noticed their bruises and scars, he said, but had been told by his wife that the children suffered them in falls or in play.

He said he had told his wife he was going to contact welfare authorities here, and that she had threatened to kill the children if he did so.

Meanwhile, several Amarillo housewives have complained that they unsuccessfully tried to get law enforcement agencies of Potter and Randall counties to investigate what they considered evidence of ill treatment of the children.

Spokesman for the group, Mrs. Dorothy Higgins, of 5101 Matador Trail, said she had become interested in the case through her sister-in-law, Mrs. Claude Ray, a neighbor of the Binnings.

Mrs. Higgins told of watching the children in the yard of the Binning home as they stood at attention, or bent over touching their toes.

She said she reported the incident to the Amarillo Police Department, and that other observers had complained to the Potter County Child Welfare Unit, the Randall County sheriff's office, and Randall County Judge Wayland Angel.

A police spokesman said such a report had been received a couple of months ago, but that the evidence then did not seem sufficient to merit further investigation.

Randall County Sheriff Slim Johnston said the Binning home

had been placed under surveillance by Deputy Cliff Longest, and that, again, no evidence of wrongdoing had been noted.

Judge Angel said he had received Mrs. Higgins and a delegation of complainants on Nov. 9, and had pointed out that statutes governing child custody matters require a relatively heavy weight of evidence to justify formal investigation.

Nevertheless, he said, he had made inquiries through the church school which Thyrza Marian attends and had not been able to find sufficient evidence to justify a complaint.

Mrs. Jewell Juergens, director of the Potter County Child Welfare Unit, said her office had sent an investigator who had observed the children through a window in the kitchen of a neighbor's home.

At that time, Mrs. Juergens said, there was no evidence of mistreatment and no incidents of violence.

The case was referred to officials at AAFB. As a result, Mrs. Juergens said, it was determined there did not exist sufficient evidence of mistreatment to warrant action.

"This is one of those terrible times when everybody feels that something could have been done, somewhere along the line, to prevent tragedy," said George Dowlen, acting criminal district attorney for Randall County. "The difficulty is, when you go back over everything, step by step, you can't find any place where the law sanctioned official interference."

"As against our statutes, parents have great power. Generally speaking, unless there is an eyewitness to a beating, the law as it stands does not authorize interference by police in family matters."

An irreconcilable conflict between the general principle and the specific case?

Maybe.

But, tragically, neither the first nor last of such contradictions in the laws of men.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Williams last week end was her sister, Miss Janice Brown, from Hatch, New Mexico.

Had a party? Or giving one? Tell The Canyon News about it. Telephone OL 5-2141, or stop by the News office on the west side of the square.

Senate...

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Club for "quite a while," LaGrone said, "but it was possible only recently to set up a firm date."

"We are indeed fortunate to be able to welcome one of the most powerful and able men in our Legislature," said Dr. Cornette. "Although it is not generally understood, the lieutenant governor of Texas wields, in his capacity as president of the Senate, a legislative power equal to a governor's."

Presidents of the clubs and organizations who will be at the lieutenant governor's table include Huelyn Laycock, Chamber of Commerce; Richard Pruett, Junior Chamber of Commerce; Charles Wright, Kiwanis Club; Gene McGlasson, Lions Club; and Bill Davis, Rotary Club.

The lieutenant governor served three terms in the House of Representatives and six years in the State Senate before being elected to his present office in 1962.

A native of Williamson County, he moved to Lamesa in 1929 to attend high school, paid his way by pulling bolls, working in service stations and doing other odd jobs--training which later helped him pay for his education at Texas Tech, where he was graduated in 1934.

In 1936 he entered the theater business in Lubbock, and he still owns several theaters which he has leased to a chain. He also owns a bowling alley and is a licensed realtor.

The legislative achievement in which Smith takes the greatest pride is his authorship of the bill providing a permanent building program for all state colleges. Before the law was approved, only the University of Texas and Texas A & M had a building program, an "unfair" situation which aroused Sen. Smith's fighting instincts.

"I didn't have any more sense than to get mad," he said. "The result, after considerable time and legislative maneuvering, can be seen on the campuses of West Texas State University and all other state colleges."

He has also been a zealous worker for soil and water conservation legislation and for state highway and farm-

to-market road programs.

In Austin he is known as a quiet organizer who has used his power as Senate presiding officer in a manner to cause remarkably little criticism and a remarkable amount of teamwork in a notably individualistic body.

He was married in 1935 to Miss Ima Smith of Crosby County, a fellow student at Texas Tech. The family includes a son, Mickey, 20, and a daughter, Jan, 16.

Lt. Gov. Smith is a member of the board of stewards of St. John's Methodist Church of Lubbock, and the board of directors of the Lubbock Salvation Army. He also is a director of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce and is a member of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, the Kiwanis Club and the Texas Farm Bureau Federation.

The C. E. Clarks and Vye went to Kent, Oklahoma recently for a short visit with their nephew, Robert Groves.

Mrs. Tige Groves of Stinnett visited several days recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Wilson.

During her visit, Mrs. Groves and the Wilsons made a short trip to Hereford where they visited with Mrs. V. J. Duncan and son, Cody. Mrs. Duncan is a daughter of Mrs. Groves and granddaughter of the Wilsons.

Poll Tax...

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for \$1.75, payable to Bill Money, Randall County tax assessor-collector, Canyon, and include his full name, age, race, sex, the number of years he has lived in the state and in the county, home address, occupation and birthplace.

"It helps us a lot to have this information easily available," Money said, "although we'll try our best to handle requests that list no more than 'two poll taxes, one for me and one for Papa.'"

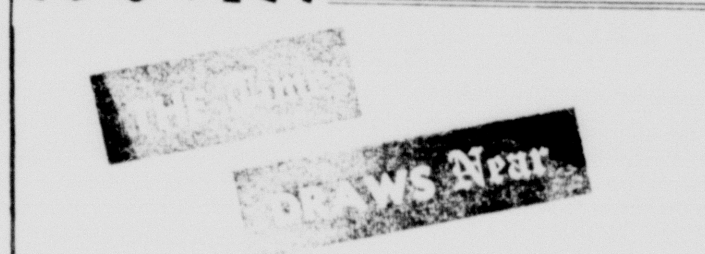
Meanwhile, he eyes the future with patience and hope.

"It's all a part of the job here," he said. "Folks will be folks. You can't hurry'em up--and you can't get in the way of old Claus."

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson of Amarillo were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Wilson last Sunday.

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R. B. GIST, president of the Farm Bureau, and his two children, Roger and Kathy, are pictured with the showmanship trophies which will be presented at the annual Junior Live-

stock Show in January. Farm Bureau will present five trophies for the five divisions in the show. These divisions are horses, dairy heifers, fat steers, lambs and hogs.

Plans Underway For Livestock Show

The 17th annual Randall County Junior Livestock Show and sale will be held in Canyon on January 10-11, 1964.

This annual event is sponsored by the Randall County Jr. Livestock Association and will be held in the Association Building at 1st Ave. and Seventeenth St. in Canyon. FFA boys and 4-H Club boys and girls will be competing for cash prizes, showmanship trophies, ribbons,

and choice sales positions.

The schedule of events are as follows: Friday, Jan. 10, 1:30 P. M. Judging Dairy Heifers; 2:30 P. M. Judging Beef Heifers; 3:30 P. M. Judging Horses. The Saturday, Jan. 11 schedule is as follows: 9:00 A. M., Judging Swine; 1:00 P. M., Judging Lambs; 2:30 P. M., Judging Steers. The sale will start at 6:30 P. M. Saturday, Jan. 11.

A new set of pit scales was recently purchased by the association and is now being installed in the show barn. They will be ready by show time. The Canyon FFA boys are putting the scales in place.

James Bible is the president of the Randall County Junior Livestock Association and Duane Howard is General Show Superintendent. These two men showed animals in the early county shows. They will be assisted by more than 75 committeemen working on 12 committees.

Gene Gaston from Springlake and Calvin Horn from Olton, both Ag. teachers, will judge swine and lambs. The list of additional judges will be completed soon.

Bradley, Tanner Honored

Kaye Bradley, a junior special education major, was named the most beautiful West Texas State University coed Friday night at the annual Christmas Beauty Dance.

Doug Tanner, a senior history student from Amarillo, was picked from 12 men as the most handsome man on campus.

Miss Bradley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bradley of Amherst, is vice-president of Zeta Tau Alpha Sorority and was named Best Dressed Coed at WT last year; Miss Dixie Belle of 1962, Playmate of the Month; ROTC Sweetheart and a member of the Student Senate. She was recently picked to represent WT in the Miss Texas Coed contest.

Miss Bradley will compete against women from all colleges and universities in Texas in the Miss Texas Coed contest.

Tanner is chief justice of the student senate, vice-president of the Alpha Chi honor society, a member of Sigma Tau Delta, an English fraternity, and a member of Phi Kappa Delta social fraternity.

Rotary Club Hosts Daughters Tuesday

Members of the Canyon Rotary Club were hosts to their daughters Tuesday at the regular meeting.

Mrs. Raymond Raillard gave a special Christmas reading and Dr. Dudley Moore led the group in Christmas carols.

Harold Erwin won a television set which was to be given away at the annual Rotary Fall Festival. The festival was cancelled due to the death of President Kennedy.



ROY REYNOLDS, left, shot the first Aoudad sheep in Texas during the three-day hunt in Palo Duro Canyon last Friday through Sunday. Eight sheep were killed during the hunt which was sponsored by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department. The hunt was the only one

of its kind in the western hemisphere. The sheep were stocked in the vast Palo Duro Canyon about six years ago. Shown with Reynolds, of the Newton Harrell Ranch is Stanley McDonough.

Reynolds Gets First Wild Sheep

Roy Reynolds of the Newton Harrell Ranch near Canyon was the first hunter to bag an Aoudad Sheep during the three-day hunt held throughout Palo Duro Canyon last weekend.

Reynolds' sheep dressed out at 192 pounds and was estimated to be 5 to 6 years old.

"My sheep was larger than the largest one turned loose six years ago by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department," Reynolds said.

The second sheep was shot

by Verl Hawbaker of Amarillo. Hawbaker shot his sheep Friday afternoon, about four hours after Reynolds killed the first sheep.

Reynolds, who shot the sheep with a 30-06 rifle, and Stanley McDonough of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, were together early Friday morning when four sheep were spotted. Reynolds reported he got out of the pickup and walked to within 200 yards of the sheep before firing.

"I shot the smallest one thinking the meat would be better than meat from a larger one," he explained.

"I was just lucky. We were about 15 minutes from the house when we spotted them. I could probably hunt three days and never see another one," the modest hunter said.

Eight sheep were killed during the three days of hunting sponsored by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department. Forty-two permits were issued to area ranchers and farmers and each permit allowed the carrier to kill one sheep.

The sheep hunt was the only one of its kind in the western hemisphere. McDonough estimated the number of Aoudad sheep in the canyons to be about 200.

30 Attend Holiday Christmas Party

A "game night" party was held December 7th for the Crusader's Sunday School Class of the First Methodist Church with 30 in attendance at the church.

The party was held in Fellowship Hall of the church and the group spent the evening playing a variety of games and had a treasure hunt.

Following the treasure hunt, the group returned to the church where they were served refreshments and concluded the evening with group singing of Christmas carols.

The planning committee members were Mrs. Keith Jones, Mrs. Clifford Abbott, and Mrs. Riley Troth.

Young Couples Have Supper

An Italian supper was served Monday evening by the Young Married Sunday School Class of the Assembly of God Church with members of the Teen Age Sunday School Class as special guests.

The supper was the reward for a contest on attendance that was conducted between the two classes for the period of a month. Mrs. Carl Wagner is the sponsor for the Teen Age Class and her husband is the teacher for the Young Marrieds.

Food for the supper was prepared by Mrs. Nathan Watson and Mrs. L. B. Wolfington and served in the church cafeteria Monday evening. The dining tables were covered with white cloths and featured appropriate holiday decorations.

Highland HD Club Meets

A family supper for the Highland Home Demonstration Club members was held Tuesday evening at the home of the Leroy Lamb.

The turkey supper with all accompaniments was served buffet style from a dining table that was decorated for the holidays with an arrangement of pine cones, greenery and candles.

Games of 42, Bingo, Scrabble and group singing of Christmas carols concluded the evening's activity. Present for the occasion were the families of Mr. and Mrs. Louene Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. John Plank, Mrs. Mike Mayfield, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Campbell, guests, and the host couple, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Lamb.

Naomi Hare Circle Meets

"The Love of Christmas" was read by Mrs. Cecil Billingsley in a candlelight service for the holiday program of the Naomi Hare Circle of the First Methodist Church when they met Monday morning at the home of Mrs. Newton Starnes.

Four candles representing love, hope, faith and power were used in the service.

Members were entertained with a gift exchange, group singing of Christmas carols and a salad luncheon following the program.

Present for the occasion were Mrs. Alfred Bellah, Mrs. Cecil Billingsley, Mrs. R. C. Busted, Mrs. H. E. Campfield, Mrs. G. A. Calling, Mrs. R. A. DeFee, Mrs. D. M. Foster, Mrs. Jones Hales, Mrs. T. S. Stevenson, Jr., and the hostess, Mrs. Starnes.

Two Speak To Group

A "caroling" program was held Wednesday evening by students of the Church of Christ Bible Chair of West Texas State University.

The students sang traditional holiday songs for a number of shut-ins and elderly people during the evening following mid-week services at the Church of Christ of Canyon.

Speakers for the vesper program Wednesday evening were Norma Carruth and James Elza, both college students at WTSU.

Bill Cox of Tulsa was a special guest speaker at the regular vesper program Tuesday evening. Picture slides of the Holy Land were shown by Cox during the program.

Speaking at the vesper program on Monday evening was Tom Anderson from Memphis, Texas.

Cub Scouting Boy Scouting

Den 1....A flag ceremony opened the Cub meeting at the home of Mrs. Ed Burdick Tuesday afternoon of last week.

Eight boys were present and wrapped the gifts that they had made in recent weeks for their parents.

Refreshments were provided by Johnny Burdick and the meeting was closed with the Den Yell.

Den 2....Nine Cubs and the den chief, Gary Moore, were present at the home of Mrs. Bob Ratliff, den mother, for a meeting Thursday afternoon of last week.

The afternoon meeting was used to assemble tree decorations to be used at the pack meeting. Refreshments were served by Raby Ratliff following the meeting.

Den 3....Chuck Wright was presented with a service star at the Cub meeting in the J. D. Byrd home last Thursday afternoon.

A service star and perfect attendance certificate were presented to Gregg Winn at the meeting.

Eleven boys were present for the meeting and completed work on their gifts for parents. They drew names for a Christmas party that will be held at their meeting this afternoon. Refreshments were served by Jim Bob Brown after the meeting.

Den 4....Mrs. Raymond Raillard, den mother, announces that Cubs of Den 4 will not have another regular meeting until the week that school resumes following the holidays.

Den 5....A Christmas party for the Cubs was held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mack White, den mother, with the boys being presented Yucca neckerchief slides from the den dad, Mack White.

The group made decorations for the pack meeting Christmas party at the meeting and also brought their food packages for the good will project.

In charge of refreshments for the party were Steve Williams, Tommy Greenhoe, and Gary Byars.

PACK 97
A pack meeting featuring an awards ceremony and Christmas program will be held for the Dens of Pack 97 at the First Baptist Church on December 19th, tonight.

Awards that were delayed at the November pack meeting will be presented at the meeting according to Meade Michael, cub master.

Den 1....Six boys were present for the meeting Wednesday afternoon of last week with Mrs. Douglas Rittenberry, den mother, as hostess.

The boys made and finished gifts for their fathers and discussed the pack meeting for Thursday evening. They also planned a Christmas party for their Den. Tommy Hampton provided refreshments.

Den 2....Wayne Todd opened the meeting Monday afternoon with a flag ceremony. He was assisted by Gary Cox.

The den chief, Bobby Todd, instructed the two Cubs on how to fold the flag after the opening ceremony.

The boys made tree decorations for the pack meeting party

and wrapped gifts at the meeting. Seven boys were present and refreshments were provided by Bobby Counselor.

Den 3....Mrs. J. H. Christner, den mother, assisted the boys with completing Christmas gifts for their mothers at the meeting. Seven were present and Chris Doss was in charge of the refreshments.

Den 4....A Christmas party for the Cubs was held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Roland Hicks and the boys had a gift exchange. Randy Hicks served holiday refreshments for the seven boys attending.

Den 6....Nine Cubs were present for the meeting last week and completed work on their parents gifts. They also made decorations for the tree to be held at the Pack Meeting.

Mrs. Roy Cates, den mother, has new assistants to help with the Den including Mrs. Don Masterson and Mrs. Bill Harp.

The meeting was opened with group singing of Christmas carols and closed with the living circle and the boys repeating the Cub Promise. Refreshments were served by Brad Oglesby.

A Den party for Den 6 was held this week with all boys in attendance having a gift exchange and an old fashioned taffy pull.

The Cates home was decorated for the holidays and after refreshments the boys spent the afternoon singing carols and playing games.

PACK 31
Den 1....Seven boys were present for the meeting Saturday morning with Mrs. Tommy Hunter, den mother, as hostess. The boys practiced their part for the pack meeting and were served refreshments by Raymond Hunter after the meeting.

Den 2....A Christmas party for their mothers will be the program at this weeks den meeting according to Mrs. Dick Ziegler, den mother.

At their meeting last week the boys finished gifts for Christmas and refreshments were provided by Jack Edwards. Ten boys were present.

Corky Barrett and Ricky Ziegler were recognized for their attendance of the Boy Scout Awards Dinner last week.

Joe and Ricky Ziegler were appointed as the refreshment committee for the Christmas party.

Den 3....This den will disband at the first of January as all members of the group will be advanced to the Webelos Den.

The boys are Mike Hines, John Upshaw and Ricky McDowell. Mrs. Charles McDowell has served as the den mother for the group this fall.

Den 4....Louise Williams was in charge of the Cub meeting last Friday afternoon in the absence of the den mother, Mrs. L. D. Hunnicutt. The meeting was held at the Hunnicutt home.

Mike Branum, den chief, assisted the boys with painting ceramics and led them in practicing for their pack meeting program.

They made plans for a gift

exchange at this weeks meeting and concluded the evening with games and refreshments that were provided by Bobby Lindsey. Eight were present.

Den 5....Kent Holley was selected as denner for the group and Mickey Comer was elected as the assistant denner at a meeting last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. C. Holley, den mother.

The eight boys present worked on their Christmas gifts and had refreshments after the meeting that were brought by Randy Campbell.

Chi Upsilon Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi International sorority held its final meeting of the year Monday evening at the Girl Scout House in Canyon.

The meeting was opened with members standing and repeating the Opening Ritual followed by roll call and the reading of minutes from the last meeting.

Mrs. Allen Simpson, president, conducted the business meeting that included a treasurer's report on the Bake Sale

Baptist Building Dedicated Sunday

Rev. Argus Brunett, superintendent of missions for the Amarillo Baptist Association, gave the dedicatory service at an open house of the Assembly Activities Building at the Baptist Assembly grounds, ten miles northwest of Canyon, last Sunday afternoon.

Following the dedicatory sermon at 2 p.m. an open house was conducted throughout the afternoon with approximately 150 persons touring the newly constructed building.

Tom Foster and other contractors who built the fireproof structure of brick, tile and stone, were in attendance for the formal dedication.

Of modern design, the building features two large dormitories, a kitchen, and a large fellowship and activities room with a fireplace of Colorado stone. The building cost approximately \$47,000 to build.

Mrs. Lonnie Byers, Mrs. Freda Moore and Mrs. Faye Can-

ned were in charge of the refreshment committee and guests who toured the building during the afternoon were served refreshments by Mrs. George Cavness, Mrs. Glenna Wilson, and Mrs. Wilda Killingsworth.

Funds from the bake sale will be presented to the local Girl Scout Unit for their funds. The Girl Scouts of the area are a service project of the sorority each year.

It was reported that plans for the Valentine Ball to be

WT Chorale Gives Program

A 30-minute program of Christmas music and carols will be presented by the University Chorale of West Texas State University on Christmas Eve over KQNC-TV in Amarillo.

Dr. Houston Bright, director of choirs, said the show has been video taped and will be presented at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday. Latter part of the program consists of several favorite Christmas carols, he said.

Featured soloist will be Gary Joe Fristoe of Amarillo, a tenor.

Mrs. Bob Henry gave an impromptu speech on her recent trip to Las Vegas, Nevada.

The meeting was closed with all members standing and repeating the Closing Ritual.

Members present included, Mrs. Joe Abbott, Mrs. Jack Berry, Mrs. Elmer Clement, Mrs. Leonard Graves, Mrs. Bob Henry, Mrs. Jim Marshall, Miss Betty Sue Patterson, Mrs. Allen Simpson, Mrs. Robert Sims, Mrs. Virgil Slentz, Mrs. Wayne Turley, Mrs. Ben Wade, Mrs. Gene Duncan, Mrs. David Pulley, Mrs. Johnnie Robinson, Mrs. L. H. Benham, Mrs. Mack White and the hostesses, Mrs. Harold Dillehay and Mrs. Dan Wadley.

The next regular meeting will be January 13 at the Girl Scout House.

Woman On Trip

Mrs. Ross Campbell left last Wednesday by plane for the Panama Canal Zone where she will spend the holidays with Lt. and Mrs. Gene W. Hunt and daughters, Regina and Dianne.

Mrs. Hunt is the former Landa Campbell of Canyon.



Shown here in front of the fireplace of the newly built Assembly Activities Building at the Amarillo Baptist Assembly Grounds are from left Mr. and Mrs. Battle Harris and Mr. and

Mrs. JoZach Byrd. The building was erected by Canyon First Baptist Church at a cost of \$47,000. It was dedicated last Sunday.



EAGLE SCOUT Andy Moreland, center, is shown as he received his Eagle award Tuesday night during the Court of Honor for Boy Scout Troop 66. From left to right in the picture are Craig Hinger, Mr. Lee Roy Moreland,

father, Andy Moreland, Mrs. Lee Roy Moreland, mother, and Larry Brotherton. The court of honor was held in the First Christian Church of Canyon.

Andy Moreland Receives Eagle Award In Ceremony

Advancement awards for Boy Scouts were presented to 21 boys at a Court of Honor for members of Troop 66 Tuesday evening at the First Christian Church.

Andy Moreland received the Eagle rank in a presentation made by Craig Hinger and Larry Brotherton, assistant scoutmasters.

Tenderfoot awards were given to Mike Lovelady, Bill Reynolds, Jamie Cressett, Noble Cates, John Lewis, Bruce Cramer, Mike Swartzell, Chris Olson, and Paul Blake by Bill Walker.

The second class Scout award was presented to Danny Harter by Don Olson. First class Scout awards were presented to Gene Myers, Lynn Salmon, and Sandy Hair, by Gene Morrison.

Star ratings were presented to Keith Stevens, Scott Donnell, Phil Swartzell and John Harper by Charles Gerald. Life awards were presented to Jack Swartzell, Mike Faulk and Howard Gidden by Phil Swartzell.

The program of awards was opened with a flag ceremony and a welcome address by A.L. Crossland. Merit badges and special awards were presented by Oscar Hinger and Bill Walker. Music for the program was by Jerry and Pat Nichols.

Hospital Notes

HOSPITAL NEWS

Rodney Lee Walker, Happy, Medical.

Mr. Elmer E. Whitten, Canyon, Surgical.

Mrs. Hattie May Howard, Canyon, Medical.

Mrs. James W. Sims, Canyon, Medical.

Mr. Leo A. Cooper, Canyon, Medical.

Mrs. Julia Glass, Canyon, Medical.

Michael Allen Tinsley, Canyon, Surgical.

Mrs. C. M. Dooley, Canyon, Surgical.

Glenn William Johnson, Canyon, Surgical.

Mrs. R. J. McAdams, Canyon, Medical.

Mrs. Harry C. Webber, Amarillo, Medical.

Clara Patricia Johnson, Canyon, Medical.

Mr. "Ed" Gerald, Canyon, Surgical.

Mrs. Elvin O. Tuggle, Way-side, Medical.

Mrs. Neil H. Downing, Canyon, Medical.

Mr. Earl J. Davis, Canyon, Medical.

Mrs. H. F. Ratjen, Happy, Medical.

Mrs. Virgil B. Henson, Canyon, Surgical.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Gerry M. King, Baby Girl Born 12-13.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry D. Goule, Baby Girl Born 12-14-63

Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Smith, Baby Girl Born 12-16-63

COLLEGE STUDENTS

Frances Marie Wallace, Medical.

Daphna Marie Short, Medical.

Presbyterians Plan Sunday Choir Program

"Faith Believes in A Person" will be the sermon to be given by Rev. J. L. Hamerson at the First Presbyterian Church on Sunday, December 22nd, at the 11 a. m. service.

The Senior Choir, directed by Mrs. W. R. Wilson, and the Westminster Choir, directed by Mrs. Bruce Winn, will be featured on the service. Wam Moore will play for the program.

Firemen Called For Car Accident

Canyon fire department was called to the scene of a two-car accident early Sunday morning on the Amarillo Expressway.

Fire fighters put out a blaze which resulted when one car rammed the back end of a parked vehicle 2 miles south of Amarillo at 4 a.m. Sunday.

Drivers of the cars were Virgil Rush of Amarillo and Billy Penn of Happy. Damage to the cars was estimated at \$500 apiece.

Local Woman Attends Last Rites Tuesday

Mrs. Ruby Yesel, 60, sister-in-law of Mrs. Strauss Atkinson of Canyon died Saturday in Littlefield following a long illness.

Funeral services were conducted at the First Presbyterian Church in Littlefield Tuesday afternoon and burial followed in the Littlefield Cemetery.

Mrs. Yesel was born in 1903 in Minnesota and married C.A. Yesel in 1922 in Harvey, North Dakota. The couple moved to Littlefield the same year. They had five children.

Mrs. Yesel was a housewife and wrote songs as a pastime. One of the songs she wrote was sung at the funeral services Tuesday.

Survivors include her husband; two daughters, Helen Lintz of Littlefield and Mary Louise of Kansas; one son, Jack Yesel of Littlefield; one sister and two brothers.

Rites Set For Col. McDonald

Funeral services for Col. T. H. McDonald, Amarillo realtor, civic leader and former Canyon educator, will be held at 2 p.m. today in Blackburn-Shaw Memorial Chapel in Amarillo.

Dr. W. Winfred Moore, pastor of First Baptist Church, Amarillo, will officiate, assisted by the Rev. Noel Thompson, assistant minister of Polk Street Methodist Church.

Burial will be in Llano Cemetery.

Col. McDonald died Tuesday evening in Northwest Texas Hospital, after a lingering illness. He was a native of Hubbard, Texas, but had made his home in Amarillo since 1934.

Col. McDonald received a bachelor of science degree from West Texas State College in 1929 and a graduate degree from Texas Tech in 1931.

Immediately thereafter he took a teaching job in Canyon schools and served for a while in the early 30s as principal of Canyon High School.

He is remembered here by a number of Canyon residents and teachers, one of whom recalls that "he was one of the kindest people to work with. In bad weather, for example, he thought nothing of going around town to pick up people and carry them to their jobs, regardless of the trouble and loss of time."

Rebekah Lodge Makes Donation

The Canyon City Rebekah Lodge No. 350 will make a Christmas donation to the children's home in Corsicana and the home for the aged at Ennis, Texas instead of sending token gifts to the two homes this holiday season.

Mrs. May Bond is in charge of the donations and members of the lodge are requested to have their donations turned in prior to December 21st, Saturday. Mrs. Bonds may be contacted at her home, 2104 4th Avenue, or by phoning OL 53429.

Mrs. Bonds notes that contributions from former members of the lodge or the Oddfellow Lodge of Canyon would be appreciated.

The next regular meeting for the Rebekah's will be January 8, 1964 at the Fellowship Hall of the First Methodist Church of Canyon.

To signal the ending of the Advent Season's Sundays, the fourth Advent candle will be lighted in the wreath.

Sunday evening, the Junior High and Senior High Groups will sing carols at the homes of church members and will later gather at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Barker for refreshments.

The annual Festival of Carols and Candlelighting will be held at the church at 7:30 p.m. on Christmas eve, December 24. The Westminster Choir will sing for the service and Wam Moore will play.

"This Is What God Is Really Like" will be the Christmas sermon preached by the pastor, Rev. Hamerson.

Last Rites Held For F.L. Bell

Funeral services for Farris Leroy Bell, 39, were held Tuesday at 3 p.m. in LaGrone Funeral Chapel.

Burial followed in Dreamland Cemetery with Rev. A. J. Pettit officiating.

Pall bearers included Max Brummett, Joe Grady Crowley, B. L. Pearson, Aubrey McDowell, Lem Fisher and Roy Burke.

Mr. Bell, who died in Tyler, was born July 26, 1924 in Bowie to Leonard and Sophia Bell. He married in Clarendon in 1946. Mr. Bell was a World War II veteran and lived in Tulsa at the time of his death.

Survivors include his wife, Helen Ruth of Canyon, one daughter, Sharon K. of Canyon; one son, Steven Paul Bell of Canyon; one sister, Mrs. W. A. Loven of Canyon, and three brothers, Cecil of Oakdale, California, Charlie of Dragerton, Utah and Clayton, also of Dragerton.

Graveside Services Held Here

Graveside services were conducted Wednesday afternoon for 14-day-old Billy Carroll Thrasher, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Carroll Thrasher of Canyon.

The infant died Tuesday afternoon in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. He had been in the hospital for four days.

Burial was in Dreamland Cemetery under the direction of LaGrone Funeral Chapel. Rev. J. H. McWilliams, Baptist minister, officiated.

Survivors include the parents; and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Thrasher of Canyon and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mitchell of Quail.

Class Has Program

The Phebean Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church held their Christmas party at the home of Mrs. W. R. Crow on Thursday evening of last week with a program about the "Littlest Angel" by Mrs. A. K. Goodman.

Guests were greeted with the red carpet and entered the home through an aisle decorated with hurricane lamps and the door was held open by Santa Claus.

Festive holiday decorations in pink, silver and gold decorated the home for the evening party.

Mrs. J. T. Graham gave the devotional program and Mrs. Earl Davis gave a short invocation.

Members were entertained with a program of Christmas carols during the evening. Mrs. George Moore, Sr. accompanied the group for the musical program. Mrs. Leonard Winters, president, served as the mistress of ceremonies.

Mrs. John Jennings, Mrs. Paul Summers and Mrs. Ed Weeks assisted the hostess, Mrs. W. R. Crow, with plans for the party. Guests were served individual cakes decorated with red poinsettias, a jello salad, sandwiches cut in star and tree shapes, assorted nuts, coffee and punch.

A cloth of white taffeta, net and felt that was applied in a Christmas motif with sequins covered the refreshment table. The floral centerpiece included white poinsettias, red and white holly, white and pink fern and roses. Hurricane lamps bearing pink tapers flanked the arrangement.

The punch table was decorated with a cut glass punch bowl and appointments. A ring of holly, accented with red ribbons and bows, formed a base for the punch bowl. Fruit cake and holiday punch were served to approximately 30 guests who were present.

Buffaloes Tip Powerful Western Kentucky

Led by the outstanding performance of Marvin Mitchell, the West Texas State Buffaloes upended powerful Western Kentucky at Bowling Green Tuesday, 84-83.

Tennessee Tech took measure of the Buffs Monday night at Cookeville, Tenn. with a shaky 89-88 victory.

The Buffs are scheduled to close out the present road trip when they take on Murray State

at Murray, Ky. tonight. A win would put coach Jimmy Viramonte's Buffaloes over the .500 mark with a 4-3 record.

The journey into Kentucky and Tennessee was expected to produce some of the toughest games on the schedule. Each of the three clubs faced usually produce some of the nation's top clubs.

In the contest Tuesday Mitchell popped the nets for 30 points, in addition to his 12 rebounds--both high for West Texas.

The Hilltoppers spread the gap to as much as 14 points at one time in the first half at 36-27. But rallies by the never-die Buffs brought West Texas to within one point of the losers at halftime, 42-41.

From there until the late stages of the contest it was a nip-and-tuck battle with the lead changing hands constantly.

West Texas took the lead for good on two free throws by James Strahan with 5:33 remaining to be played with the score 76-75.

The Buffs then produced an effective stall which led to the win.

CHS Lassies In Victory Over Perryton

Canyon High School blasted the visiting Perryton girls Tuesday, 55-35.

Canyon lost to White Deer Monday, 47-32.

The hosts' led the visitors at the end of each quarter, 11-2, 24-9, and 42-20.

Jan Jarnigan was high for Canyon with 17 points. Ruth Purcell had 13, Cynthia Gerald 15, Sally Swartzell four and Linda Clark and Andy Lair two each.

Canyon hit a cold spell in the game with White Deer and failed to count in the first period. Halftime score was 24-13.

Swartzell and Jan Jarnigan tied for high point honors with 12 points each. Purcell had four and Lair and Clark two apiece.

Eagles Bow To Hawks 65-62 In Cage Battle

The invading Phillips Blackhawks found the going tough Tuesday night but managed to hold off a late Canyon rally to nip the Eagles, 65-62.

Canyon saw its win streak snapped at six. Its last loss came at the hands of Hereford's Whitefaces in the West Texas State University Tournament Dec. 7. The loss left the high-flying Eagles with an impressive 10-4 mark.

Phillips extended its season record to 10-3.

The two clubs battle in their next meeting Dec. 27 at Phillips.

Canyon will play in the Clovis Tournament Thursday, Friday, and Saturday.

The Eagles humbled the visiting White Deer Bucks Monday, 48-33.

Canyon led the Blackhawks at the end of the first period, 14-13.

But the 'Hawks joined forces and at halftime the Eagles trailed by ten points, 39-29.

Jaycees Plan Hayride Friday Night

Canyon Jaycees and Jayceettes and their husbands and wives will have an old fashioned hayride and Christmas caroling party Friday, December 20th.

All members of the two organizations are urged to participate. The group will meet at 7:30 p.m. on the east side of the courthouse and will carol throughout the city of Canyon.

Following the caroling, the group will have coffee and donuts.

Baptist WMA Has Meeting

The Woman's Missionary Auxiliary of the Southside Baptist Church had their annual Christmas meeting at Fellowship Hall of the church last Thursday afternoon.

Refreshments were provided for Mrs. J.H. McWilliams, Mrs. Noma Clouch, Mrs. Lottie King, Miss Imogene King, Mrs. Lloyd Gordon, Mrs. R.O. Gaston, Mrs. Melvin Dunn, Mrs. C.T. Collier, and Mrs. N.D. Carter after the meeting.

Scottie Pierce, Kirby Pugh and Joe McWilliams all dumped in key points in the waning minutes which were important in the win.

Mitchell was high with his 30 points, followed by Strahan 20, Frank Schaeffer 10, Pierce nine, Pugh eight, McWilliams three and Gail Simpson and David Shearod with two each.

Darel Carrier poured in 27 for Western Kentucky.

Two free throws by Don Dickerson with only seconds remaining on the clock spelled defeat for the Buffaloes Monday.

It was also close throughout the contest, although West Texas held a nine point lead at one time during the second half. The Buffs also trailed by as many as 12 points during the first half. Tennessee managed to take the lead at halftime, 47-46.

Pierce and Pugh both received injuries in that contest. Pierce was knocked out while fighting for a rebound and Pugh had stitches in his chin as the result of a cut.

Schaeffer led the Buffs in a losing effort with 25 points. Pierce had 13, Pugh and Mitchell 12 apiece and Strahan 11.

West Texas dumped in 33 of 60 attempted field goals against Tennessee.

In the contest with Western Kentucky the Buffs dropped in 31 of 60 attempts.

'Bs' Edge White Deer

The Canyon High School B team had to go into overtime Monday night to down White Deer, 57-55. It lost to Phillips Tuesday, 49-40.

In the contest with White Deer Canyon trailed 13-12 at the end of the first quarter. At halftime Canyon was out front, 26-22.

Going into the final period of play White Deer led, 42-38. But a late rally by Canyon knotted the count at 48-all at the final buzzer.

George Cox was high for Canyon with 16 points. Ken Branum had nine, Tom Higgins eight, James Evans seven, Tom Lair six, Vernon Hawkins five and Al Sternberg two.

Phillips led Canyon at the end of each quarter. At halftime the score was 27-8, and 40-21 at the end of the third quarter.

Two Accidents Occur In City

Two accidents occurred last week in Canyon sending one man to Neblett Hospital with minor injuries.

Bill Aldridge, student at West Texas State University, was taken to the hospital and released Thursday night after his car rammed a telephone pole at the corner of Fourth Avenue and 23rd Street.

A two-car accident involving a pickup and a car occurred at the corner of Second Avenue and 23rd Street at 3:45 p.m. Thursday.

Dennis Marlin Bellue of Amarillo and Gloria Gail Stevens of Canyon were the drivers of the vehicles.

Final Exams Set At WT

Observance of the Christmas holidays will start at West Texas State University at the close of work Saturday, according to Dr. Walter H. Juniper, dean of the university.

Classes will resume at 8 a.m. January 6. Final examinations over work of the first semester are scheduled Jan. 20-23, and registration for the second semester will open Jan. 29. Two days of freshman orientation and counseling for beginning students will start Jan. 27.

Board Meet Is Routine

Members of the Canyon school board Tuesday night transacted only routine business after being entertained at a dinner in the school cafeteria.

Members of the board, administrators and their wives were guests of the homemaking department at a Christmas dinner.

At the meeting which followed, the board approved several routine reports, accepted two resignations and hired two new teachers.

Tendering resignations were William S. Hammon and Mrs. Lena Sue Casteo.

Hired were Mrs. Molly Puckett and Marvin Philpott, both of Canyon.

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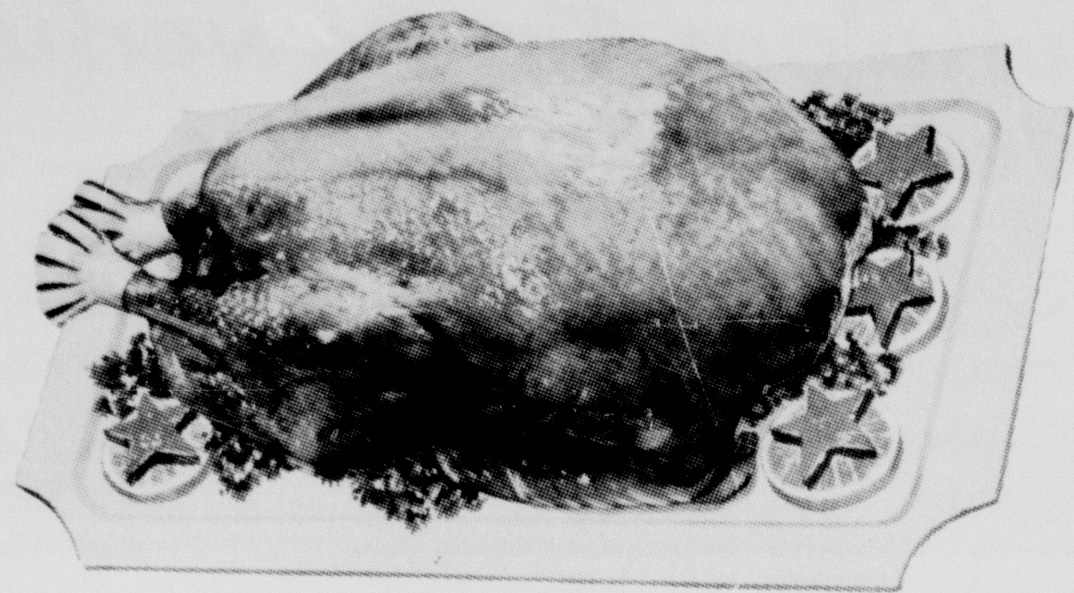
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The Better Mousetrap

Inventions Earn Fame, Fortune For Engineer

BY FRED TRIPP

Though it is not of record, there must surely be in the enemy camp a person whose sole job it is to stare moodily at the floor and wonder what new contraption Kibbey Couse has invented for the U. S. Army.

For Kibbey W. Couse, 69, of Taos, N. M., and Fort Lauderdale, Fla., is one of that breed of inventive Americans that must, since the day of Sam Colt, be counted among the more valuable of this nation's natural resources.

He and his wife, the "Marian C." whose brush signature is prized by collectors of Southwestern art, stopped in Canyon last week to visit Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum and gossip with curator Boone McClure and Levi Cole, the Canyon banker with whom they share an interest in pictures and paintings. Cornered, however, in the museum office, between a pile of books and some of McClure's treasured specimens of barbed wire, Couse was finally prevailed upon to talk about himself.

Yes, he said, it's true that he owns a suitcase full of mechanical patents. On the other hand, he said, a patent isn't worth a hang until it's been translated into something usable. And his own modest effort along these lines, he said, was so successful that he was able in 1961 to retire from active direction of Couse Manufacturing Co., purveyor of mobile workshops that have become famous around the world.

He produced a handful of handsome brochures.

"Like so," he said. "You'll notice that each of these workshops, completely equipped and ready to go, is mounted on a standard truck chassis. The shop can be buttoned up, put on a Globemaster or similar heavy-cargo plane, and delivered anywhere. Most of my patents are embodied in this kind of equipment."

Couse is a plumpish, rubicund man with a brush-cut crop of gray hair and the easy manner of the West. He wears trifocals, laughs at his own jokes—which he doesn't always bother to explain—and has no

use for gin rummy or bridge. This makes him a thoroughly pleasant fellow, indeed—and, on superficial acquaintance, the sort you would vote least likely to succeed in business, regardless of any number of E's for effort.

In point of fact, Couse has been one of the most successful dollars-and-cents businessmen in an extremely specialized segment of American industry. Since the beginning of World War II, the Couse plant in Newark, N. J., has built something like \$60 million worth of mobile workshops and radar rigs, and Couse equipment today is working in such out-of-the-way places as Burma, Pakistan, India, and the desert reaches of Egypt.

The achievement rests, of course, on hard work and an acquired expertise. But the magic touch, the imaginative boldness of Couse design and engineering, suggests an inherited gift.

For Couse is the son of the late Irving Couse, one of the greatest of Southwestern masters of brush and pencil, a painter of such dedication and technical excellence that the passage of time has served only to point up the enduring value of his work.

Kibbey Couse was born in Paris, educated in New York and in 1918 received a degree in mechanical engineering from the Stephens Institute of Technology at Hoboken. Gaining experience in a variety of shop, engineering and design jobs, he decided in the early 1930s to set up shop for himself and concentrate on the manufacture of mobile repair and maintenance systems to meet the demands of an increasingly mobile American industry.

The prototype of the Couse mobile workshop was put together in 1933, but the firm for a while enjoyed only a modest success.

WT Grad In Peace Corps

Jean Triplett, a West Texas State graduate, has begun a two-year assignment as a Peace Corps volunteer in Columbia.

Jean was an outstanding member of the WT livestock judging team her senior year in school. She was one of the few girls in the nation to be a member of such a team. Before going into Peace Corps work, Jean expressed an ambition to return to Canyon at some future time and go into the livestock business.

Boe Hollis Family Has New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. Boe Hollis of Amarillo are the parents of a baby boy born December 9 in an Amarillo hospital. Mrs. Hollis is the former Wilma Schuette of Canyon.

Mrs. Ida Schuette and Mrs. Jewell Pruitt are grandmothers of the new arrival.

he said, "that spotted the first incoming flight of Jap planes at Pearl Harbor and gave the warning that was overlooked."

Thereafter, however, the rigs became almost as familiar as palm trees in the Pacific theater of war.

"Any old-timer of those days ought to remember them," Couse said. "From a distance they looked like the mast of a square-rigged ship—cross-ways, stays, all the rest of it. But they worked. They were at Guadalcanal, and they gave the Marine pilots the 15-minute warning they needed to get up and going."

Couse also recalled that his early work with the mobile towers brought him into collision with Andrei Gromyko, then chief of a Russian purchasing mission in the U. S.

"The Russians came to our East Orange factory and said they wanted to look at some mobile workshops. They had heard that the Japanese Army was interested. Well, there was no secret about the shops, so we showed the Russians around. The prototype of the mobile radar tower was on the floor, covered by tarpaulins. When the Russians spotted it, they got quite excited. They wanted to know if it was a gun. We couldn't tell them anything about this classified project so they got even more excited. By the time they left, they were fairly itching to pull the tarps off and have a good look, and they thought, of course, that we were somewhat less than cooperative."

With the war there came also

a tremendous demand for the Couse mobile workshops as U.S. forces were deployed around the world.

"Theoretically, the shops were supposed to go in with the third echelon, meaning that certain positions had been secured and it was safe to set up a repair center," Couse said.

"In practice, however, the tanks and bulldozers that went in with the first and second attack waves usually got shut up or otherwise damaged, and it became necessary to run the shops in almost as fast as infantry cleared the way for armor. So you might say, quite properly, that our specialty was the combat workshop."

With the end of the war, the Couse firm continued to thrive and expand under the impetus of bold new designs and technical innovations.

Latest in the line of mobile shops is a compact, completely equipped unit that can be transported by helicopter. Largest is a 22,000-pound, self-propelled giant equipped to do heavy welding repairs in the field.

And another Couse first is in the testing stage—a mobile workshop designed to withstand Arctic temperatures as low as 65 degrees below zero.

Meanwhile, our affable inventor keeps his mind sharp with an underground laboratory at the old home which his father built in Taos in 1910.

What's he working on? "After all," he remarked dreamily, "look how long it took to invent the safety pin." Maybe that's a clue.



MR. AND MRS. KIBBEY COUSE OF Taos, N. M. look at a distinguished painting by Olive Vand-ruff Bugbee, art director for Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum. Couse is the son of the

late Irving Couse, one of the earliest and greatest of Southwestern artists. He and Mrs. Couse visited here last week.



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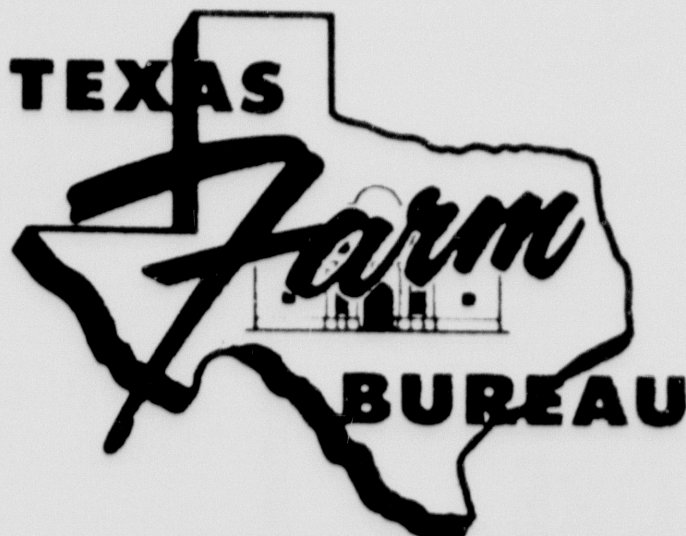
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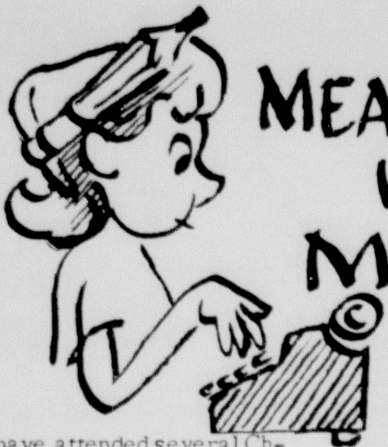
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MEANDERING WITH MARGO

We have attended several Christmas parties this week sponsored by WT fraternities and sororities for orphans in this area.

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They try desperately to be polite, and they always are, but you can't instruct a child to be unnatural...especially with cookies, punch and Santa Claus.

They are thrilled to death with the attention given to them, and as typical children they enjoy this attention. They scamper here and there showing off what they have received and eagerly await you to agree that their gift is the best.

Members of the social groups which sponsor the parties can't help but laugh as they watch the kids drop all barriers to enjoyment and romp around the room completely relaxed.

You want to grab up one of them and just hug him in an effort to hold on to a precious moment of enjoyment. And you laugh when one of them refuses to get off your shoulders with the statement, "You mean you aren't tired yet?"

The parties usually last a couple of hours and it is a toss-up who had the most fun...the children or the students.

IDEAS TO LIVE BY

(A book of inspirational articles by Bob Wear)

Available in all Book Stores or may be purchased from the author.

Our favorite cowboys came through for us this week when Roy Reynolds shot the first Aoudad sheep in the three day hunt in Palo Duro Canyon.

The Reynolds brothers, Earl and Roy, seem to be typical cowboys in our modern times. They both were part of the first rodeo team at West Texas State University several years ago, and we recall that in the summer of 1962 Roy rode in the rodeo in Canyon during the Sheriff's Posse Old Settlers Day.

They run the Reynolds ranch outside of Canyon, and from the looks of things they do a mighty fine job with it.

Roy modestly told of how he shot his sheep early Friday morning during the first hour of the hunt. He commented that he didn't even plan on going until Stanley McDonough of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department drove by and suggested they take a quick look.

After he shot the 192 pound sheep, Roy could only say "It was luck, just luck."

And when he got to the Claude check station with his sheep, Roy was shocked to see representatives from large state publications eager to take his picture. His sheep was the first one legally shot in the state of Texas, and everyone seemed to be very excited about it.

This put Roy in a position which is rather uncommon to him. Somehow the Reynolds family have been slow to accept recognition. They quietly work behind the scenes getting things done quickly and efficiently, but seldom are in the limelight.

We feel the Reynolds clan is a big asset to the Canyon community, and they are such nice people we want them to stay part of our community for years to come.

by Troy Martin
FROM THE

CANYON RIM

We continue to be amazed by the way liberals have been able to convince so many people that "extremists" of the "radical right" caused the assassination of President Kennedy. A Communist of the extreme "left" actually did the killing.

We are also amazed that those who so consistently decry hate are the most venomous in their hatreds.

H. M. Baggerly, who operates a publication at Tulsa, raves constantly about the "hate" in the country. Baggerly spews hatred.

We do not think H. M. realizes this. But it is true. Not too long ago H. M. suggested that the bristles of Wesley Lizard's mustache be plucked out bristle by bristle.

This might seem so ludicrous as to be harmless to Baggerly's way of thinking. However, Wesley Lizard is a public figure of some renown.

If through your "extremist" suggestions some fanatic were to do bodily harm to the editor of the Amarillo morning newspaper, how would YOU feel Mr. Baggerly?

By way of passing, we do not know of another editor who has suggested bodily assault on a political enemy. We believe Baggerly stands alone in this category.

He also has referred to another political enemy, Louise Evans, a political pundit in Amarillo, as "Louise" Evans, pleading that he has been having trouble getting his typesetting machine to drop the letter "i".

Having referred to a lady of great character in such a disparaging manner must make Baggerly feel very gentlemanly.

We write these paragraphs more in sorrow than in censure. We know H. M. Baggerly loves his country. As far as we know he had a fine record of service in World War II.

Somewhere H. M. lost his way. He has forgotten that freedom of speech pertains to Wesley Lizard, Louise Evans, yes, and to General Edwin Walker, as well as to H. M. Baggerly.

H. M. thinks he is protecting the weak from the strong. Apparently he believes this gives him some sort of license not granted others. It makes us say deep in our heart, "Oh, Goodness what villainy is committed in thy name."

If he were an isolated case, the situation would not be so disturbing. Our country seems to have an over supply of people who think that any disagreement with their philosophy is a full blown "hate campaign." These deluded individuals wade belly deep in the sewage for which they express such contempt.

Baggerly wrote last week of an interperate remark by a school teacher upon receiving the news of the assassination of President Kennedy. H. M. and myself are very much in agreement that the teacher should have been dismissed on the spot for having made such a remark.

The teacher is reported to have expressed satisfaction over the assassination.

H. M. either was remiss in his reporting or deliberately wanted to cast a reflection on

all area schools. He referred to the incident as having taken place in an "area" school.

We checked it out with H. M. and learned that the incident took place in the Vernon school system. We talked to a school official in Vernon by telephone. The official would not give out the exact words used by the teacher but admitted that the teacher was in grave error.

He said the teacher, a young man, had an otherwise good record in the system. The teacher apologized to the class before which the remark was made and to the Vernon school board, according to the school official with whom we spoke.

He was not dismissed from his post.

To a reader of Baggerly's column in which the story of the incident appeared, all schools and all school teachers in this area became prime suspects.

We put it to the teachers of the Panhandle area. Whom do you think is peddling "hate" in this instance?

The coldest place in Washington these days is the office of the senior senator from Texas, the Honorable Ralph W. Yarborough. No glow from the White House warms this habitat of the Lone Star State's original misguided missile.

And to cap it off the senator is ill--suffering from a seemingly incurable case of hoof in mouth disease.

We are told that Yarborough refused to ride in the same car from the Dallas airport with Lyndon Johnson that fateful day a scant few minutes before LBJ ascended to the Presidency.

As an effort to impress Northern Democrats, Johnson may give nominal support to Yarborough in his efforts for reelection to the Senate next year. If at all, it will be only nominal.

To give one an idea of the feeling existing between Johnson and Yarborough, one has

Hilltop Views

BY DR. J. A. HILL

Thirty years and one day ago as this is being printed the perpetrator of this column made an eight minute radio talk on "What Christmas means to me." Though the period since that date has been the most revolutionary in all history the essential meaning of Christmas has not changed.

Because of this unchangeableness the article which follows consists mainly of excerpts from that talk.

Most of all, Christmas speaks of love, because God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten son that whosoever believeth on Him shall not perish but have everlasting life. Out of this fact comes the whole meaning of Christianity and the reason for celebrating the birth of our Saviour.

Christmas always speaks to us of suffering, for it reminds us of Him who gave His life that others might have life more abundant. It reminds us that sacrifice and suffering and sorrow oftentimes purge our spirits of selfishness and unwarranted pride and make us humble in our relationships with both God and man.

Christmas speaks to us always of the hunger and cold and disease that afflict a vast majority of the human race and their need for our help. Who among us can resist the humanitarian appeal that such conditions make? Giving to such a cause is twice blessed. "It blesses him that gives and him that receives". In our mad rush for financial affluence we do well to ask ourselves "What does it profit a man if he gain the whole world and lose his own soul?"

Again, Christmas speaks to us of ideals, for it celebrates the birth of the greatest idealist in human history. Jesus was born in an age that worshipped mere things--an age of ease and luxury and pomp and power--an age in which authoritarianism, based upon military prowess, dictated government; tradition ruled religion; and a caste system kept the masses in ignorance and stifled aspiration. It is no wonder that a wise man of old declared that "where there is no vision the people perish."

The Babe of Bethlehem, through a doctrine of idealism, shattered the idols of civilized antiquity and pointed the spirits of men toward freedom. All down the Christian era His ideals have challenged those whose impoverished philosophy would shackle and maim and tarnish and crucify the hopes and aspirations of others. His ideals have made common cause with the natural rights and possibilities of men at all levels, and today they are the im-

only to recall an incident which took place as Yarborough arrived in the capitol as a newly-elected Senator.

Normally, the Senate would have been dismissed and the new Senator would have been met at the airport by some of his fellow senators.

Johnson was Senate majority leader at the time and he managed to keep the Senate in session until the Yarborough plane was on the ground with no reception committee.

The chasm between the President and the senior senator is deep, dark and wide.

Do not forget the Kennedy clan in Democratic politics. It still is politically puissant and will figure in many a Presidential election to come.

Robert F. Kennedy---though no longer the brother of the President---still is as intelligent and politically ruthless as ever.

We cannot at the present time foresee RFK making a bid for the Presidency. Teddy is the boy to watch and some time in the next two decades we'll be telling you we told you so.

pregnable fortress against which the destructive and disintegrating forces about us are gradually but constantly and surely dashing themselves to pieces.

Fundamentally, our problems now are not essentially different from those of the Roman Republic. We are sunk in the sea of materialism. Our dreams are of wealth and the things wealth will buy. We pray too much for comfort. We misunderstand values. We identify material prosperity with progress. We confuse mind and matter. We depend upon national recovery acts to enrich and enlarge life. We teach our children to become educated so they can the more readily make money rather than to enable them to earn a useful place in the world. We motivate business with the spirit of acquisitiveness and measure success by accumulated dollars. We grope around hunting values that satisfy the flesh - values that can be perceived and enjoyed by the physical senses. Only here and there are those who are rich without money - only now and then those who find happiness, usefulness, and contentment in life is unseen treasures.

Character is the heart of all greatness, whether personal or national, and there is no use to pour food into one whose heart has ceased beating. The heart of this country is now imperiled. It is suffering from an attack of bad ideas--malnutrition and systemic poison. The patient (the American nation) needs a re-invigorated blood stream and a strong central pump more than he needs beef-steaks and cherry pie.

In conclusion, Christmas suggests to me that we join Frank Crane in his Prayer for Vision:

O Lord, open thou mine eyes.
Cure my blindness, that I may see past the tall buildings of cities and perceive the souls thereof, past the hard things visible unto the fluid, eternal things invisible---
Let me see beyond greed to the luxury of giving
Let me see past profit to usefulness
Past passion to poise.
Past the heat of desire to the light of renunciation
Past the glare of power to the abiding beauty of service---
I want to see, to see, and not forever to be a prisoner of prejudice, a bat of blind custom, A mote of ignorance, a convict in the penitentiary of fear, a frightened rat in the house of superstition.

Let me see past the night to the renewing dawn,
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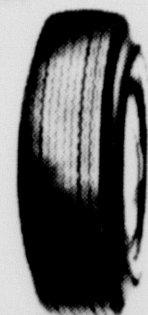
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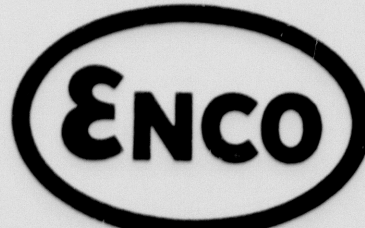
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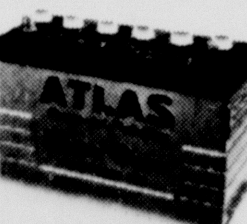
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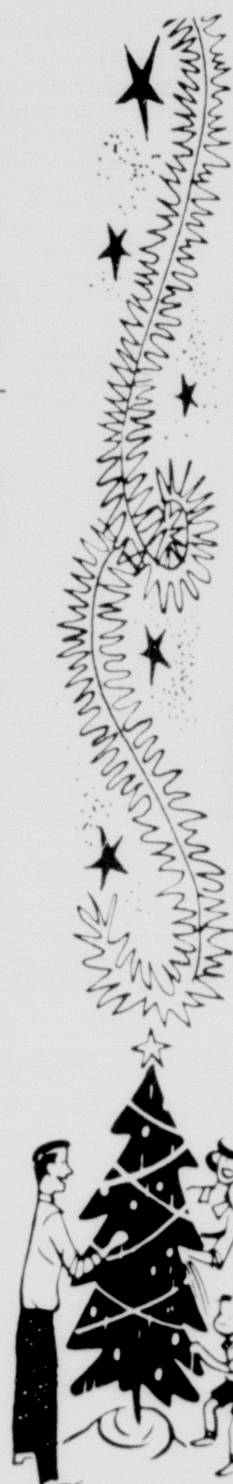
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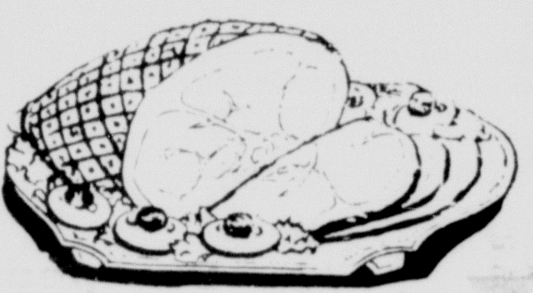
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Mrs. L.B. Walters Gives Recipe For Nut Cake

By Lorena Miller

Mrs. L. B. Walters is sharing a recipe for Nut Cake with our readers this week. The unusual holiday recipe combines mincemeat, raisins, nuts and coconut for a holiday specialty.

Mrs. Walters, known as Fleta to her friends, is the mother of four grown children. She was raised in Coffman County of Texas and in 1923 became the wife of L. B. Walters.

The young couple farmed near Paducah for several years, later moving to Silverton, Kress, and Crowell where they were occupied in farming.

They have lived in Canyon about two years since moving from Silverton. The family residence, 2609 2nd Avenue, is located near West Texas State University and Mrs. Walters now rents extra bedrooms in the home to young college students.

An adept homemaker, Mrs. Walters is especially interested in embroidery work and often does other handwork including crochet. She also does a lot of her baking for holidays ahead of time and then freezes it in the large family freezer.

She has treated her family to the special Nut Cake for about 35 years, since receiving the recipe from an early day friend. Her children have enjoyed the special treat since childhood and now that they all have their own homes, Mrs. Walters bakes each one a small cake for the holidays.

The couple has four children, Elizabeth, Louise, Kirk and LaRoyce.

Elizabeth, now Mrs. Major James of Olton, helps her husband with his bookkeeping and sales at their White's Auto Store in Olton. She graduated from Paducah High School.

Also a graduate of the high school in Paducah, Louise lives in Lubbock with her husband and two children. She is employed with Sears Roebuck and Company.

The Walter's eldest son, Kirk, lives in Dallas where he is an auditor for Pete Mar-

wick and Mitchell, Inc. A graduate of Crowell High School, Kirk received his degree from West Texas State University last spring and married the former Gail Sargent during the summer. She also is a graduate of WTSU.

LaRoyce, a graduate of Kress High School, lives in Hobbs, New Mexico where he is employed with the Shell Oil Company.

The Walters are members of the First Methodist Church of Canyon and he is employed with the maintenance division at West Texas State University.

"We like mincemeat and I often bake a number of mincemeat pies for holidays," commented Mrs. Walters as she noted that the cake remains

MYF To Carol Saturday Night

"Christmas for Others" will be the theme of the Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship of the First Methodist Church of Canyon when they have a caroling party on Saturday evening, December 21.

Sponsoring the program will be Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hilton and Captain and Mrs. Wm. Johnson.

The group will return to the church for refreshments after singing traditional Christmas songs for shut-ins and other members of the community.

19 Methodist Children Plan Party

The annual children's Christmas program for the First Methodist Church of Canyon will be on Sunday, December 22, at 7:00 p.m. in the sanctuary.

A nativity scene will be portrayed by the youth group along with a special program of Christmas songs by the Primary and Junior Choirs. Mrs. A. W. Lair is in charge of the Primary Choir and Mrs. R. E. Barnard directs the Junior Choir.

Fellowship Hall will be the scene for a "family hour" immediately following the Choir program. The Junior and Senior Methodist Youth Fellowship groups will host the fellowship meeting along with their directors, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hilton, and Captain and Mrs. William Johnson.

The family hour will include group singing of Christmas carols, refreshments, and a tree for the children.

Awards Given At GA Program

"Things to be Thankful For" was the program theme for an awards ceremony for the Girl's Auxiliary of the Southside Baptist Church last week.

Bible markers and G.A. pins were presented on the program by Mrs. James Seales after Mrs. N.D. Carter had introduced the president, Nina Browning.

Miss Browning introduced each girl as they were awarded their pins and Bible markers.

Present for the ceremony were Glenda Browning, Rose Marie Sandeford, Virginia Collier, Jennie Cook, Kay Murrell, Josephine Sandeford, Billy Gordon, Lola Ann Cook and Nina Browning.

moist for several days if covered and is also freezable.

The recipe follows:

NUT CAKE

2 cups sugar
2 eggs
2/3 cup butter
1 cup sour milk
1 small box mincemeat
1 cup raisins
1 cup nuts
1 cup coconut
1 tsp. cinnamon
1 tsp. cloves
1 tsp. soda

Mix first four ingredients then add mincemeat, raisins, nuts and coconut. Sift spices with 3 cups of flour and add to batter. Add enough more flour to make a stiff dough.

Cook in greased and floured tube pan or loaf pan. Bake at 300 degrees for about an hour and a half.

Place pan of water on rack below cake to keep the cake from browning on top before it is well done in the center.

EDITOR'S NOTE:

A recipe for Easy Pralines has been contributed to appear in our Christmas issue, December 24. The holiday confection contributed by Mrs. Claude E. Boatman, is a creamy smooth praline that is almost failure proof according to Mrs. Boatman, who has made the candy for five years without a failure.



Mrs. L. B. Walters is shown placing a Nut Cake in the family freezer to save until the Christmas holidays. Mrs. Walters, the mother of four grown children, is sharing her recipe with our readers this week.

Mrs. Allen Hanks and children, Craig and Denise, of Las Vegas, New Mexico arrived last Thursday afternoon to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Henson.

Mr. Hanks joined his wife and children this week to spend the holidays with the Henson family.

Going somewhere? Or been? The Canyon News wants to know about it--and so do its readers.

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Downings Have Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Downing announce the recent birth of a baby daughter.

The baby has been named Debra Anne and weighed 8 pounds and four ounces on arrival November 30. She has a brother, Jeffrey, age 3.

Grandparents of the new arrival are Mr. and Mrs. Neil

Downing, north of the city, and Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Bagley of Canyon.

D.D Adams To Complete RFA Program

Pvt. Dalton D. Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam A. Adams of Canyon, is scheduled to complete eight weeks of infantry training with light weapons under the Reserve Forces Act program Jan. 17 at Fort Polk, La.

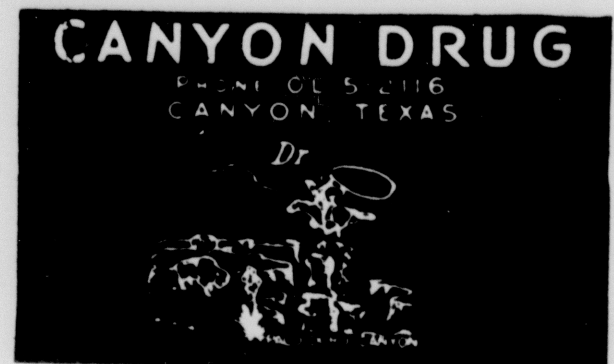
Adams is being trained to use the automatic rifle, the light machinegun and the 3.5 rocket launcher.

The 17-year-old soldier attended Canyon High School.

Church Ladies Give Dinner

Ladies of the Church of Christ of Canyon sponsored a supper for members of the Bible Chair at West Texas State University Sunday evening.

Approximately 70 students were seated at the traditional holiday supper. Festive centerpieces featuring candles were used to decorate the tables.



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WSG Program Highlights Christmas

"If We Had Been In Bethlehem" was the annual Christmas program for the Wesleyan Service Guild held in the parlor of the First Methodist Church Wednesday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. E. J. Larson narrated the story that included Rob Barnard as Joseph, Richard Calder as the Innkeeper, Charles Starnes as the Shepherd, Paul Stevenson as the Wise Man, and Shelly Taylor as Mary. Appropriate scriptures were read throughout the program by Madge Culbertson.

Traditional religious songs "O Holy Night," "Silent Night," and "We Three Kings of Orient Are" were presented by Miss Judy Pemberton. Accompanist for the musical numbers was Miss Lynne Larson.

Members of the guild will distribute gifts to shut-ins in the community instead of having a personal gift exchange.

Open face sandwiches, cookies and punch were served to guests from a refreshment table that was decorated in a Christmas motif.

Hostesses for the annual program were Mesdames Gladys Haines, Nora Gillmore, Rae Walters, and E. J. Larson.



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For A Combat Engineer--

Heritage Map Project Awakens Old Memory

BY FRED TRIPP
If all goes well, visitors to the outdoor stage in Palo Duro State Park next summer will be able to see the Texas Panhandle at a glance.

graph of the northern 26 counties of the Panhandle will be modeled in high relief on a map that will be one of the main decorations at the entrance to the amphitheater.

the area--the Canadian River, the Red River, the caprock--and a tracing of historic trails and famous ranches.



PETE COWART, concessionaire at Palo Duro State Park and a former combat engineer, studies some of the problems to be solved in constructing a huge relief map for the Texas Panhandle Heritage Foundation. The map will be part of the ornamentation at the entrance to the outdoor theater in the park.

worked on a big relief map was in the winter of 1944--that crazy winter when he and his platoon holed up in a deserted village school in the Siegfried Line and built up a sand table while guns thudded, high brass drifted around, and the Wehrmacht made its last, desperate bid... "Don't ask me why it all came about," Pete said over a cup of coffee the other day in Coronado Lodge, where he operates his Palo Duro State Park concession.

"It was early in the winter of '44 and I was a lieutenant commanding a platoon of the 17th Armored Engineer Battalion of the 2nd Armored Division. We were six or seven miles inside Germany, in a little place called Settrich, near Aachen.

"We had nothing to do but stay alive.

"Then, one day, the colonel called me in and told me to take my platoon over to an empty school house and make a sand table model of the Roer Valley, dams and all. The idea, he said, was that officers of the 2nd Division would have all winter to study our model, familiarize themselves with the country and be ready for spring operations."

Pete and his 39 men set up shop, built a table 10 feet wide and 20 feet long. Then, reading off roads, cow trails, creeks, building features and contour elevations from their excellent Army maps, they modeled wet sand into a vivid miniature of that particular bit of Europe.

"The job seemed to go on and on," Pete recalled, "but we really couldn't complain, all

things considered. The boys got real interested in building their little bridges and houses and fortifications, and the work was a lot easier and safer than most other employment in that particular place.

"Then," Pete said, "came a certain day, and up showed more generals, and general's aides, and aides to general's aides, than I ever knew were in the Army. They all converged on our schoolhouse and looked at our sand table--General Eisenhower, General Bradley, General Montgomery and about 14,000 other generals.

"We were real honored, but General Bradley was the man who impressed us. He strolled around the table as though he'd built it, pointing out this feature and that one, and explaining how, come spring, we were going to go about getting through the German line."

The visitation occurred, said Pete, early in December, 1944, "and in time we might have become the star attraction on the Ninth Army front, except something happened..."

"On Dec. 23, the Germans attacked in the Ardennes--the Bulge, as it was called--and we were pulled away from our project and dumped down right in the path of their advance. So we lost a few days while the fiasco went on. Then we came back and stayed with our hobby until the spring of '45.

"The rest you know.

"As for the sand table, I don't exactly recall what happened to it. I'm happy, though, that we'll be working on the Panhandle map under considerably better conditions."

Fairview Breezes

by Mrs. J. W. Wesley
ing with the Leo Carlton family.

Bill Wesley of Peyton, Colorado visited with his brother, Luther, and family in Canyon recently and visited with his aunt, Ella Hext, and uncles, Jim and Earl Wesley, Saturday night and Sunday.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wesley last week end was Elvin Wesley of Brownfield.

Elvin spent Sunday afternoon and night with his parents before returning to his Brownfield home Monday.

Sherrel Allred visited over the week end in the Woodrow Wesley home.

Shopping in Amarillo recently have been Mrs. Pauline Wesley and Mr. and Mrs. John Patterson.

The J. W. Wesleys were in Tulia Monday on a shopping trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wesley visited last Saturday evening with the Leo Carlton family.

Guests in the J. W. Wesley home Sunday for lunch were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Carlton and children, Billy, Betty, Herschel, and Johnny, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Wilson and children, Glenda and Eddie, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Wilson, C. P. Rogers, Elvin Wesley, Mr. and Mrs. Raford Shipman and children, Jannis and Pam.

The youngsters spent the afternoon in the canyons and brought back some Christmas trees including one for the community church. The ladies spent the afternoon wrapping holiday packages.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wesley entertained their guests Bill Wesley, Ed Turner, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Wesley and Ella Hext with games of "88" Sunday evening.

Pop corn was served during the evening.

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A Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Metcalf last Friday evening entertained members of the Westside Home Demonstration Club with their husbands and children as special guests for the occasion.

Turkey and dressing, salads, hot rolls, dessert, coffee and tea were served at the dinner that was followed with an exchange of gifts. The evening was concluded with games of 42.

Other hosts for the social occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ruthart, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bourn, and Mrs. Mattie Bourn.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cornett, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Glover, Mr. and Mrs. Radford McKay, Mr. and Mrs. Curley Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Burrus, Bonita Newby, Bradley Burrus, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Sparks and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Tuck and Gary, Steve Hill, Andy Lair, Mr. and Mrs. Verla Simpson of Tulia and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Metcalf and Rhonda.

Mrs. Hopper Celebrates 80th Birthday

The eightieth birthday of Mrs. Maggie Hopper was celebrated with a family dinner at the home of her son, Walter J. Hopper, in Amarillo last Sunday.

A large number of relatives and friends attended the dinner and were served birthday cake following the dinner.

Children of Mrs. Hopper who were in attendance were Mrs. Joe Jesko of Friona, Mrs. Richard Callaway, Mrs. George Buttel and Walter Hopper, all of Amarillo.

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Santa Claus At Holiday Club Party

Santa Claus made a visit to the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post and Auxiliary annual Christmas party and supper last Friday evening to hand out bags of fresh fruit, candy, and nuts to the children attending.

The pot luck supper was served buffet style with a holiday centerpiece arranged from vari-colored tree ornaments on a base of limbs from Christmas evergreens.

Auxiliary members furnished two large hams that were the main item on the menu and other ladies of the group brought covered dishes for the supper.

Following the supper, Santa Claus presented each child with bags of fruit and members of the Post and Auxiliary had a short gift exchange. Approximately 32 members of the two groups were in attendance along with their families.



APPRECIATION PRIZES were given to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McKee of Canyon Saturday during the second of three Merchants' Appreciation Days being held this Christmas season. The couple received \$100 from C. P.

Clark and Roland Black, Chamber of Commerce manager, Saturday afternoon. Other winners include Mrs. Tommy Tucker, \$50, Viola Russell, \$25, Mrs. Odell LaGrone, \$15, and Mrs. Bobby Carter, \$10.

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HAPPY HAPPENINGS

MRS. RUTH MAYNARD

Dr. Lowe of Canyon spoke at the First Baptist Church in Happy Sunday night. He is a medical missionary to Nigeria on furlough and is working at Neblett Hospital while he is home.

Mr. R. C. Vernon is in Northwest Hospital in Amarillo following a heart attack.

Mrs. Edith Fields is at home now after being in the hospital a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Taylor visited her father, C. W. Denny in Andrews last week.

Mac and Leona McFarland had dinner Thursday night for Mac's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hollingshead and Alva from Lemon Grove, California and his brothers Pete McFarland, Mr. and Mrs. Gwen McFarland, Sandy, Zane and Kipe and Don and Mary Ann Magness and Debbie.

Hollie Whitlow, Freda Whitlow and Joline Lee were shopping in Amarillo Tuesday.

Several Happy people attended the P.G.C. meeting held in Amarillo on Monday and Tuesday of last week. Opal McCarty, Carolyn McDowell, Lena Walberg, Mildred Zachry and Mrs. R. B. Gist, Sr. attended the luncheon on Monday and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Zachry and Mrs. and Mrs. Bill Dugan from Canyon attended the banquet that night.

Mrs. Stanley Cobb and daughters, Jane and Carol, visited in the C. D. Zachry home Friday.

Mary Jane Miller and Myra Nell Culp were shopping in Amarillo Tuesday.

Maude Bowe's son, Gary Don, coaches at Lubbock Christian

Mr. and Mrs. King Have New Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Gerry King announce the recent birth of a daughter, Shanna Kay, on December 12 at Neblett Hospital in Canyon.

The baby weighed 7 pounds and 11 ounces on arrival.

Mr. King, a student at West Texas State University, is employed with the American National Bank in Amarillo.

Grandparents of the new arrival are Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Davison of Lamesa and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice King of Sacramento, California.

FHA Conducts Toy Campaign

The Canyon Junior High Future Homemakers of America chapter is sponsoring a number of projects to make Christmas more enjoyable for others, according to Mrs. Guylene Stover, sponsor for the group.

The FHA members collected a number of Christmas cards that were sent to Therman's Convalescent Home in Amarillo this month.

Members also conducted a toy campaign to gather old toys that were taken to fire stations in Amarillo for the "Toys for Tots" projects. The toys will be repaired and painted for children of the Panhandle area at Christmas time.

High School in Lubbock and brought his team to the Happy Invitational Basketball Tournament this week end. The whole team and Gary Don and his wife stayed at Maude's house during the tournament.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Miller and family visited in happy Thursday night. Their home is in Amarillo.

Dr. G. L. Robinson has been gone part of this week to a convention.

Marvin Flowers is in the Army Reserve and is being called to Fort Sill, Oklahoma for a three week period of training. His wife, Francis, is staying with her parents in Fort Smith, Arkansas while he is gone.

Nora Kinsey is recovering from a recent illness. She is at home.

Dean King and Pat Maynard attended the football game between

ween Dalhart and Crane Saturday in Lubbock.

Sue and Darrel Bowe have a new baby born this week. Sue's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vilo Danner are keeping their other little girl while she is in the hospital.

Leona McFarland was shopping in Amarillo, Saturday. Butch Starker also went shopping Saturday.

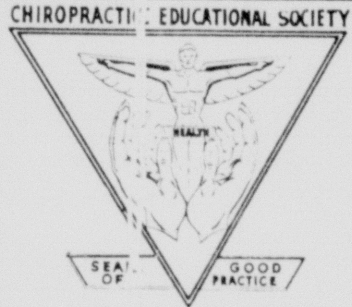
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shuman from White Deer had lunch in the Hobart McManigal home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sims entertained Mr. and Mrs. Dee Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Aikens, Ella Hext and Ed Turner in their home Saturday night. The group played "88".

Eddie Moudy and Alice Womach made the all-tournament team in the basketball tournament at Happy last week end.

The choir of the First Baptist Church will present the cantata "Night of Miracles" by John W. Peterson, Sunday night at 7:00. Robert Clements is the director. The public is invited to attend.

Brother Travis LaDuke was in Midland on business Friday.



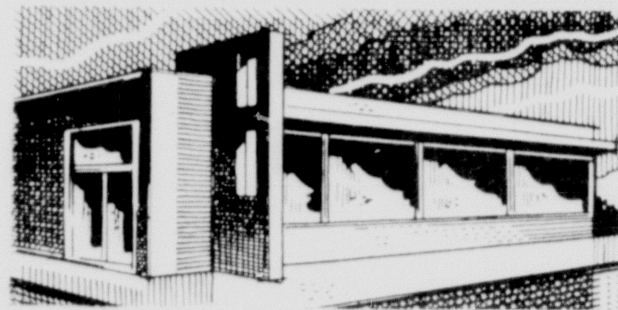
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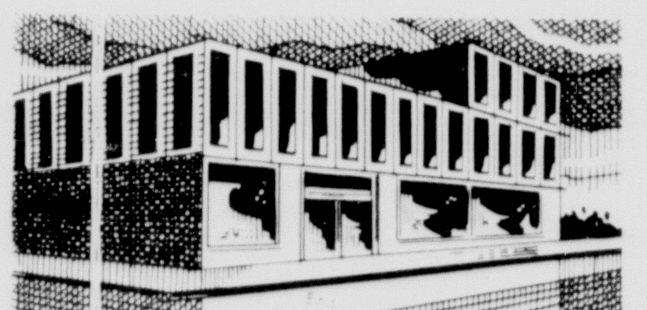
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HEAVY DAMAGE was reported at the Charles Green residence last week when a fire broke out in a double garage. Fire fighters were called at 7:55 a.m. Wednesday morning to fight

the blaze which threatened nearby buildings. Green lives four miles south of Canyon and is employed with the state highway department.

Canyon Cops Top Place In Tulia Cage Tourney

BY JOHN SHIELDS
Canyon copped top honors in the Tulia Tournament Saturday by spilling the hosting Tulia Hornets, 45-42.

It was the first tourney victory of the season for coach Allen Simpson and his crew. The Eagles extended their record to 6-3 with the victory.

It was the first time Canyon has ever won the tourney.

Canyon tripped Friona in the opening round Thursday, 74-54. The Eagles throttled Dimmitt Saturday morning, 69-57, to gain their way to the finals.

Eddie Poole of Canyon was named the Most Valuable Player of the tournament with his outstanding play. He poured in 26 points in the contest with Friona and 13 and 14, respectively, in the last two tilts, in addition to his excellent defensive work.

Jim Whinnery, also of Canyon, was also named to the All-Tournament team. He had a total of 34 points in the three games.

The hosting Hornets set the pace in the opening period by rolling to a 10 point lead, 18-8.

But the Eagles rallied in the second stanza and trailed by only five points at intermission, 25-20.

Canyon took the lead in the third quarter but the Hornets managed to knot the count at 36-all going into the final period of play.

It was a see-saw battle throughout the fourth period. With 3:03 remaining to be played Tulia led, 40-38. Canyon went out front 42-40 with 1:26 showing on the clock. Tulia came within one point of the visitors with 0:33 left, 43-42.

Whinnery clinched the win as he dropped in two free throws with only seven seconds remaining for the final score.

Canyon dropped in 19 of 45 field goal attempts for 42 per cent. But the Eagles were cold at the free throw line as they managed to make only seven of 18 attempts for 39 per cent.

Poole was high point man for Canyon with 14, followed by Whinnery with 11, Steve Burgess 11, Jody Richardson six and Don Breitling two.

Burgess grabbed 27 rebounds

in the last two games to lead the Eagles on the boards.

In the games with Dimmitt and Friona the Eagles never trailed.

Canyon led Dimmitt at the end of each quarter, 15-8, 34-19, and 53-37.

Breitling poured in 20 points.

Hulan Hill In Training

Army Pvt. Hulan H. Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Hill, Route 2, Happy, is scheduled to complete eight weeks of advanced infantry training with light weapons under the Reserve Forces Act program at Fort Polk, La., Jan. 20.

During the training, Hill is receiving instruction in the use of the automatic rifle, the light machinegun and the 3.5 inch rocket launcher. The 23-year-old soldier is a 1958 graduate of Hale Center High School and a 1962 graduate of Texas Tech- nological College.

Richardson 18, Poole 13, Whinnery 12, Burgess four, Alex de Schweinitz two and sophomore Dennis Haley didn't score.

The Eagles led Friona 16-9, 33-19, and 55-37 at the end of the first three periods.

Poole was high with 26, followed by Burgess with 12, Whinnery 10, Breitling nine, Richardson eight, Haley five, de Schweinitz two, Ronnie Bacon two and Gary Fletcher none.

The Canyon girls dropped their opening contest in the tournament to Friona, 62-52. In the second game Claude downed Canyon, 55-23.

In the Friona tilt Canyon trailed at the end of the first three periods 18-10, 38-27, and 48-37, respectively.

Jan Jarnigan dumped in 22 points in a losing effort. Andy Lair had 12, Ruth Purcell and Cynthia Gerald seven each and Sally Swatzell four.

Outstanding guards for Canyon were Sherry Killingsworth, Linda Gill and Beth Jarrett. Claude led Canyon throughout the entire contest.

Jarnigan was high with nine, followed by Purcell with seven, Lair five, Linda Clark one and Gerald with one.

PKD Official Slates Visit

Phi Kappa Delta, local colony of Phi Delta Theta, national social fraternity, will be host to Robert J. Miller, National Executive Secretary, Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

Miller plans to meet with college officials and the Amarillo Alumni Club of Phi Delta Theta in connection with a petition for a national charter presented earlier this semester by the local group.

John Harding, province president of Phi Delta Theta, will also be here from Texas Tech for the conferences. Harding was instrumental in gaining colony status for the local.

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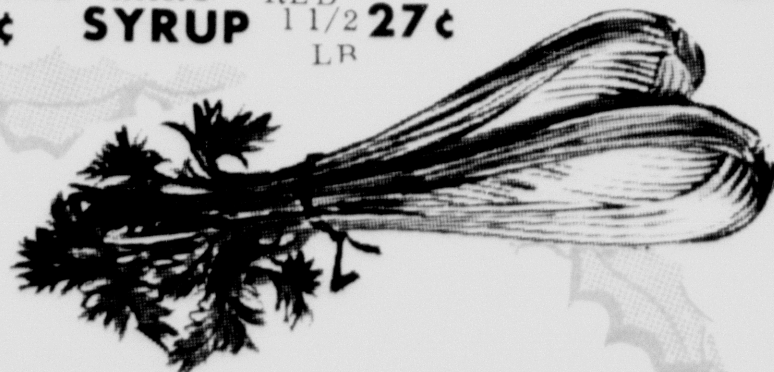
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